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Introduction

The Department of Mental Health is pleased to present the 2000 version of the Multicultural Populations Resource Directory. Compiled by the Department's Office of Multicultural Affairs, the resource directory was first published in 1987. While the availability of mental health and other human services programs for multicultural populations has improved since then, too often consumers continue to experience barriers in accessing services due to institutional, linguistic, and cultural barriers.

This directory contains information about agencies and institutions in the Commonwealth that offer culturally and linguistically appropriate services. We hope that this directory will be utilized as a starting point in familiarizing users with available local and statewide mental health, and health and human services resources.

The mission of the Office of Multicultural Affairs is to promote one of the stated Department of Mental Health principles of "assuring that the cultural and ethnic diversity of clients and staff are respected in the design and delivery of services." The office staff includes Teresita Camacho-Gonsalves, Joy Connell, Rosita Monroy-Barber, Saly Pin-Riebe, and Hanh Tran.

If you have any questions, comments, or would like to request additional copies of this directory, please contact this office at (617) 626-8134. The office address is: Department of Mental Health, Office of Multicultural Affairs, 25 Staniford Street, Boston, MA 02114. The office will update this directory annually in October. This is not an exhaustive list of agencies and institutions, and new additions are welcome for the 2001 directory.

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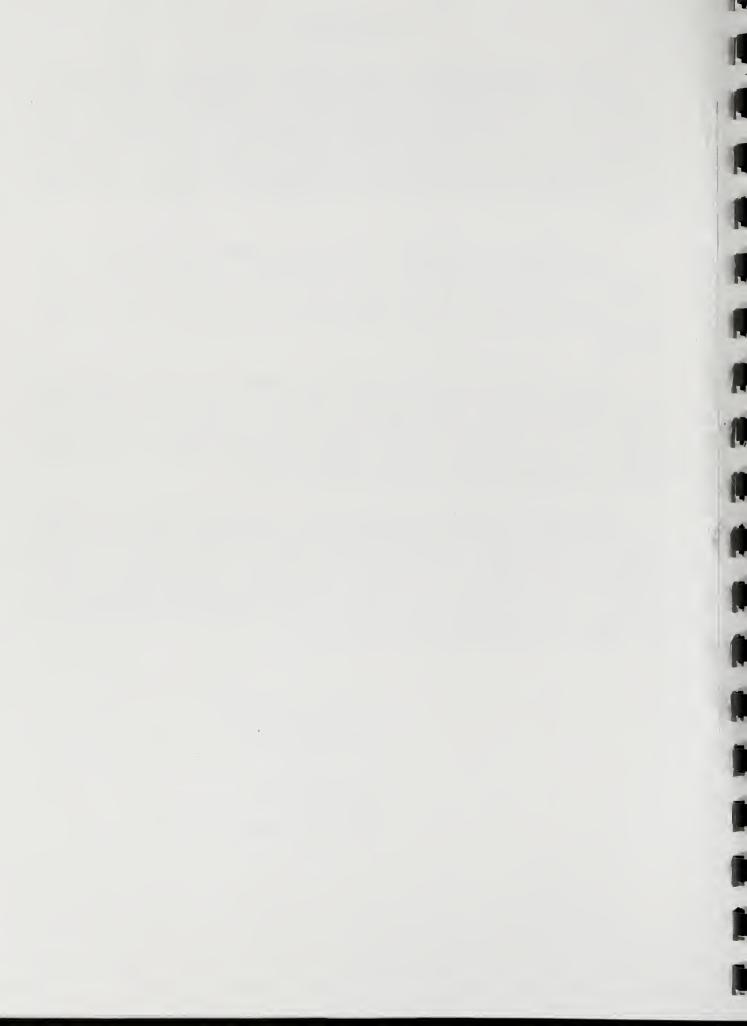


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ENTRIES:

Each entry includes the following information:

NAME OF AGENCY: CONTACT AND PHONE NUMBER: ADDRESS:

The persons listed here are the administrative contacts for the agency unless otherwise specified.

STAFF LANGUAGE:

Languages listed here are spoken by the organization's staff, but may not necessarily reflect the organization's total linguistic capacity.

DESCRIPTION:

This category provides a brief, general description of the organization.

SERVICES:

This category provides information on the organization's services to multicultural populations.

POPULATION(S) SERVED:

This category indicates populations the organization is currently serving. It is not meant to imply that the organization serves these groups <u>exclusively</u>, but rather to indicate current populations receiving services.

The directory does not provide all information regarding service fees or eligibility. Persons needing this information should contact the organization directly.

Entries are organized according to the Department of Mental Health (DMH) geographic areas in which they are located.

The Department of Mental Health Areas are as follows:

Western Massachusetts Area

James Duffy, Ph.D., Area Director P.O. Box 389 Northampton, MA 01061-0389 (413) 587-6200

The following cities and towns are covered by the DMH Western Massachusetts Area Office:

Florida Adams Gill Agawam Alford Goshen Amherst Granby Ashfield Granville Great Barrington Athol Greenfield Becket Hadley Belchertown Bernardston Hampden Blanford Hancock Buckland Hatfield Charlemont Hawley Cheshire Health Chester Hinsdale Chesterfield Holyoke Huntington Chicopee Clarksburg Lanesborough Colrain Lee Conway Lenox Cummington Leverett Dalton Leyden Deerfield Longmadow Ludlow Easthampton East Longmeadow Middlefield

Montague Monterey Montgomery Mount Washington New Ashford New Marlborough New Salem North Adams Northfield Northampton Orange Otis Palmer Pelham Petersham Peru Phillipston Pittsfield Plainfield Richmond Rowe Royalston Russell Sandisfield Savoy

Sheffield Shelburne Shutesbury Southwick South Hadley Southampton Springfield Stockbridge Sunderland Tolland Turners Falls Tyringham Ware Warwick Wendell Whately Washington Westfield Westhampton West Springfield West Stockbridge Wilbraham Williamsburg Williamstown Windsor Worthington

Central Massachusetts Area

Monroe

Monson

Egremont

Erving

Elaine Hill, Area Director Worcester State Hospital 305 Belmont Street Worcester, MA 01604 (508) 368-3838

The following cities and towns are covered by the DMH Central Massachusetts Area Office:

Ashburnham Barre Bolton Charlton Bellingham Boylston Clinton Ashby Brimfield Auburn Berlin Douglas Brookfield Blackstone Dudley Ayer

Central Massachusetts Area

Townsend Leicester Paxton Fitchburg Leominster Pepperell Upton Franklin Uxbridge Gardner Lunenberg Princeton Wales -Rutland Grafton Medway Shirley Warren Groton Mendon Shrewsbury Webster Hardwick Milford Southbridge West Boylston Harvard Millbury Holden Millville Spencer West Brookfield New Braintree Sterling Westminster Holland Whitinsville North Brookfield Sturbridge Hopedale Oakham Winchendon Hubardston Sutton Oxford Templeton Worcester Lancaster

North East Area

Mark Fridovich, Ph.D., Area Director P.O. Box 387 Tewksbury, MA 01876-0387 (978) 863-5000

The following cities and towns are covered by the DMH North East Area Office:

Gloucester Melrose Amesbury Salem Andover Groveland Merrimac Salisbury Hamilton Beverly Methuen Saugus Haverhill Billerica Middleton Stoneham Boxford Ipswich Nahant Swampscott Lawrence Byfield North Andover Tewksbury Lowell Topsfield Chelmsford North Reading Danvers Lynn Newbury Tyngsborough Dracut Lynnfield Newburyport Wakefield Dunstable Malden Peabody Westford Essex Manchester Reading West Newbury Marblehead Everett Rockport Wenham Georgetown Medford Rowley

Metro Suburban Area

Theodore E. Kirousis, Area director Medfield State Hospital 45 Hospital Road Medfield, MA 02052-1099 (508) 242-8000

The following cities and towns are covered by the DMH Metro Suburban Area Office:

ActonBedfordBraintreeCarlisleArlingtonBelmontBurlingtonCohassetAshlandBoxboroughCantonConcord

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Woburn
Wrentham

Southeastern Massachusetts Area

Littleton

Ron Dailey, Acting Area Director Brockton Multi-Service Center 165 Quincy Street Brockton, MA 02302 (508) 897-2000

The following cities and towns are covered by the Southeastern Massachusetts Area Office:

Abington Duxbury Acushnet East Bridgewater Attleboro Easton Eastham Avon Barnstable Edgartown Fairhaven Berkley Fall River Bourne Falmouth Brewster Bridgewater Freetown Gay Head Brockton Gosnold Carver Halifax Chatham Chilmark Hanover Cotuit Hanson Harwich Dartmouth Holbrook Dennis Hyannis Dighton

Lakeville Mansfield Marion Marshfield Mashpee Mattapoisett Middleborough Nantucket New Bedford North Attleboro Norton Oak Bluffs Orleans Osterville Pembroke Plymouth

Kingston

Plympton
Provincetown
Raynham
Rehoboth
Rochester
Rockland
Sandwich
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Tisbury
Truro
Wareham
Wellfleet
West Bridgewater
Westport
West Tisbury

Whitman

Yarmouth

Metro Boston Area

Clifford Robinson, Area Director Department of Mental Health 20 Vining Street Boston, MA 02115 (617) 626-9200

The following cities and towns are covered by the DMH Metro Boston Area Office:

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Cambridge Somerville
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WESTERN MASSACHUSETTS AREA

BEACON RECOVERY CENTER AGENCY:

CONTACT: Jan Peterson, RNCS, CARN

PHONE: (413) 773-2489 Assistant Program Manager FAX: (413) 773-2092

c/o Franklin Medical Center ADDRESS:

164 High Street

Greenfield, MA 01301

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, some Spanish

Substance Abuse treatment department of a community hospital. DESCRIPTION:

Detoxification – 16 beds (level 3A) SERVICES:

Acute Residential- 8 beds (level 3B)

Intensive Outpatient

Addicted population regardless of cultural orientation-POPULATIONS SERVED:

interpreter services provided as available including sign

language interpreters.

AGENCY: **EVERYWOMAN'S CENTER**

CONTACT: Carol S. Wallace PHONE: (413) 545-0883

Wilder Hall, University of Massachusetts ADDRESS:

Box 38520

Amherst, MA 01003

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English and Spanish

DESCRIPTION: Everywoman's Center is a multicultural multi-service women's center

serving Hampshire County. EWC's mission is to provide leadership in

promoting educational access for women.

SERVICES: Information and referral services, counseling services, support groups, 24

hour comprehensive rape crisis services, workshops, and trainings on issues of violence against women, advocacy and programming for women

of color.

POPULATIONS SERVED: All the diverse cultural and linguistic communities of

Hampshire County.

AGENCY: FRANKLIN/HAMPSHIRE EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING

CONSORTIUM

CONTACT: Arthur A. Schwenger

Arthur A. Schwenger PHONE: (413) 774-3182 Executive Director FAX: (413) 784-1765

ADDRESS: One Arch Place

Greenfield, MA 01301

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English and Spanish

DESCRIPTION: Locally administered JTPA program which provides training and

employment services to the area's unemployed and economically

disadvantaged residents.

SERVICES: Job counseling & developments, vocational training, job placement, GED,

summer youth program, job counseling and orientation, vocational

training, and ESL.

POPULATIONS SERVED: 14 yr. old and over - all populations

AGENCY: GANDARA CENTER, INC.

CONTACT: Henry East-Trou PHONE: (413) 736-8329

Executive Director FAX: (413) 746-4270

ADDRESS: 333 East Columbus Ave.

Springfield, MA 01105

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Spanish/English

DESCRIPTION: The Gandara Center is a private non-profit service agency which provides

a comprehensive network of mental health and substance abuse services geared towards the Hispanic and African American community of

Western Massachusetts.

SERVICES: Outpatient Mental Health, Outpatient Substance Abuse, Day Program,

Residential and Outreach Services Mental Health, and Residential

Substance Abuse Rehabilitation.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Hispanic and African-American communities. Gandara also

serves Vietnamese and Russian immigrants in the outpatient

mental health program.

AGENCY: GANDARA/WW JOHNSON SITE

CONTACT: Thelma G. Scott, M.Ed. PHONE: (413) 747-0495

Director

ADDRESS: 736 State Street

Springfield, MA 01109

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Korean, Spanish, French, and (Russian, Vietnamese) interpreters

DESCRIPTION: Outpatient clinic: Gandara Center Satellite Clinic.

SERVICES: Individual, group, couples and family therapy, medication clinic,

psychiatric assessment and psychological testing. Urine screens,

phlebotomies on site. Pregnancy test, HIV, and outcomes of medication

levels.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Multi-cultural population children, adolescents, young

adults, elderly couples, and individuals from the greater

Springfield area.

AGENCY: INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGE INSTITUTE OF MASS, INC.

CONTACT: Alexis Johnson PHONE: (413) 586-7569

Executive Director FAX: (413) 586-8927

ADDRESS: Sullivan Square, 17 New South Street

Northampton, MA 01060

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Russian, Spanish and

Portuguese

DESCRIPTION: Provides language & cross-cultural training to New England residents,

refugees, immigrants, foreign students, scholars and business people.

Special programs available for welfare recipients.

SERVICES: World language classes in Northampton and Springfield; ESOL classes in

Northampton and off-site; volunteer tutors, computer labs, language exchanges, ESOL Certificate Teacher Trainings, tutor trainings, workshops on teaching methodology and cross cultural awareness.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Adults

AGENCY:

JONES LIBRARY ESL CENTER

CONTACT:

Lynne Weintraub

Coordinator

ADDRESS:

43 Amity Street

Amherst, MA 01002

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

English and Spanish

DESCRIPTION:

ESL/Literacy instruction, also Citizenship and GED.

SERVICES:

Family literacy classes, Computer assisted instruction, Tutors, Books,

Tapes; Referrals, and Citizenship Assistance.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

Immigrant adults

AGENCY:

LUTHERAN SOCIAL SERVICES OF NEW ENGLAND INC.

CONTACT:

Kathy Shaw, Regional Director

PHONE: (413) 787-0725

(413) 734-0859

FAX:

PHONE: (413) 256-8037

Widi Sumaryono

Arnold Chaban

ADDRESS:

425 Union Street, Suite D-5

W. Springfield, MA 01089

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

Russian, Vietnamese, Ukrainian, Bosnian, Albanian, Spanish, Polish,

French, Indonesian, and Italian

DESCRIPTION:

Comprehensive services for refugees and immigrants in New England.

SERVICES:

Provides Reception & Placement, Case Management, Employment

Services and ESOL and Skill Training for refugee and immigrant

population. Other programs: HIV/AIDS prevention for Russian speaking

youth, Computer Training, Home Health Aids Training, and Home

Maintenance Training.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

Refugees from Former Soviet Union, Bosnians, Vietnamese,

Kosovars, Albanians, Iraquis, and Africans from Sierra Leone.

AGENCY: MASSACHUSETTS CAREER DEVELOPMENT INSTITUTE

CONTACT: Gerald A. Phillips

Gerald A. Phillips PHONE: (413) 781-5640 Executive Director FAX: (413) 736-2452

ADDRESS: 140 Wilbraham Avenue

Springfield, MA 01109

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Spanish and Italian

DESCRIPTION: Adult Basic Education, Career, and occupational training.

SERVICES: Job placement, occupational training, ESL, adult basic education, and

GED instructional, vocational counseling.

POPULATIONS SERVED: All

AGENCY: MENTAL HEALTH AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES OF

THE BERKSHIRES

CONTACT: Karran Larson PHONE: (413) 499-0412-V/TTY

Coordinator Outpatient Services FAX: (413) 499-0978

for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing

ADDRESS: 333 East Street

Pittsfield, MA 01201

STAFF

LANGUAGE: American Sign Language and English

DESCRIPTION: Mental Health outpatient counseling center serving multi-cultural,

linguistic population to the public including services for Deaf or Hard of

Hearing through a deaf Therapist or interpreter.

POPULATIONS SERVED: All Deaf, Hard of Hearing or late deafened.

AGENCY:

NORTHERN EDUCATIONAL SERVICES - ETHOS III

CONTACT:

Kenny Hawkins

Director, ATOD

PHONE: (413) 737-8524 (413) 737-3996 FAX:

ADDRESS:

756 State Street

Springfield, MA 01109

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

English

DESCRIPTION:

Outpatient substance abuse program operates Monday thru Friday,

8am - 5pm.

SERVICES:

Individual and group counseling, outreach, case management, drug, and

alcohol screening.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Our primary focus is on African-American clients age group 18-

65; however, clients with other cultural and ethnic backgrounds

will be provided with services.

AGENCY:

NUESTRAS RAICES, INC.

CONTACT:

Daniel Ross

PHONE: (413) 535-1789

ADDRESS:

60 Hamilton Street

Holyoke, MA 01040

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

English and Spanish

DESCRIPTION:

Nuestras Raices, Inc. is a grassroots organization that promotes economic,

human and community development in Holyoke through urban agriculture. We draw our membership and our leadership from the

families and youth that participate in our network of community gardens.

SERVICES:

Current projects include: community gardens; Children's Gardening Plots;

Series of Educational Workshops and Field Trips; Farmer's Market; and

Centro Agrícola community agricultural center.

AGENCY:

OWL LEARNING CENTER

CONTACT:

Raymond Pelligrini

PHONE: (413) 787-7723

ADDRESS:

18 Gaucher Street

Springfield, MA 01109

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

Spanish, French, and English

DESCRIPTION:

Provides adult basic education or ESL instruction to newly arrived

refugees over 16 years of age.

SERVICES:

ESL instruction, adult basic education, citizenship classes, GED

preparation, and a wide range of adult vocational classes.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

All

AGENCY:

REFUGEE RESETTLEMENT PROGRAM/DIOCESE OF

SPRINGFIELD

CONTACT:

Father Michael Doyle

PHONE: (413) 732-6365

Ana Baranovski

ADDRESS:

65 Elliot Street

Springfield, MA 01101

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

Vietnamese, Cambodian, French, and Russian

DESCRIPTION:

State and federally funded program sponsoring refugees' entrance to the

United States. Education and employment offered after resettlement.

SERVICES:

Initial housing, food, clothing medical care, ESL instruction, employment

services, and counseling (bilingual) immigration assistance.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

Refugees (legal) from Vietnam, Cambodia, Russia

(documented), Laos, Iran, and Eastern Europe.

AGENCY: SOUTHEAST ASIAN APOSTOLATE

CONTACT: Rev. Quynh Dinh Tran PHONE: (413) 733-6310

Director

ADDRESS: 323 Dickinson St.

Springfield, MA 01108-1895

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Vietnamese, English, and French

DESCRIPTION: Care for spiritual needs of catholic people in western Massachusetts.

Promote Vietnamese cultural heritage. Introduce American culture and way of lives to Asian people. Opportunity to meet weekly and on occasion to sing and pray in vernacular languages, to learn from each other, to share common concerns, to help solve religious social problems.

SERVICES: Saturday and Sunday mass, home visiting, group meeting, translating and

interpreting, counseling, shuttle transportation, and social services.

POPULATIONS SERVED: All Asian people in Massachusetts especially in Western Mass.

AGENCY: SPRINGFIELD SOUTHWEST COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER

CONTACT: Mila Dubinchik PHONE: (413) 739-1100

Manager Interpreter Services FAX: (413) 739-1173

ADDRESS: 1040 Main Street

Springfield, MA 01103

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Spanish, Russian, Albanian, Bosnian, Ukrainian, and Vietnamese

DESCRIPTION: Health Care

SERVICES: Adult, Pediatric, OB/GYN, Mental Health, and Optometry services.

Nutrition, HIV management, Family planning, and WIC.

POPULATIONS SERVED: African American, Puerto Rican, Russian, Vietnamese,

Albanian, Ukrainian, Bosnian, Arabic, and others.

AGENCY: SPRINGFIELD VIETNAMESE CIVIC ASSOCIATION

CONTACT: Mr. The Viet Cai

Mr. The Viet Cai PHONE: (413) 733-9373

Executive Director FAX: (413) 737-3419

ADDRESS: 433 Belmont Ave.

Springfield, MA 01108

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English and Vietnamese

DESCRIPTION: A mutual assistance association.

SERVICES: Interpreter services, legal rights assistance, food assistance, youth and

elderly programs, and ESL/Citizenship classes.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Vietnamese, immigrants, and refugees

AGENCY: VIBES OF VERSATILITY – D.B.A. JESUS HOUSE

CONTACT: Evangelist Florine Jewel PHONE: (413) 746-0652

Founder (413) 787-1157

FAX: (413) 737-3996

ADDRESS: 41 Eastern Avenue

Springfield, MA 01109

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English

DESCRIPTION: Transitional housing, substance abuse referral services, outreach

ministries and case management. Residential treatment and planning

services for men and women for six months to a year.

SERVICES: Transitional housing for the homeless, recovering drug and alcohol

clients, referral to substance abuse counseling, case management, spiritual rehabilitation/outreach ministry services, referral to drug screening, detox

and long term residential services.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Primary focus on minority and women populations; other

cultural and ethnic client groups, releases from courts, jail,

parole, probation, from the streets and detox.

VIETNAMESE AMERICAN COMMUNITY OF WESTERN MASS., AGENCY:

INC.

CONTACT:

Joseph D. Nguyen

PHONE: (413) 593-1164 Chairman

FAX: (413) 593-9316

ADDRESS:

9 Beauregard Ct.

Chicopee, MA 01020

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

Vietnamese, French, and Laotian

DESCRIPTION:

Mutual assistance agency.

SERVICES:

Transport, counseling, social services, and referral.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

Vietnamese and Laotian in Western Massachusetts.

AGENCY:

WATKIRY VONGSA BOPHARAM

CONTACT:

Ven. Nak Yem

PHONE: (413) 367-0280

Buddhist Monk

(413) 367-9526

FAX:

(413) 367-9526

ADDRESS:

100 A Cave Hill Road

Leverett, MA 01054

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

Khmer/Cambodian

DESCRIPTION:

Theravada Buddhist Temple serves as a place for religious ceremonies,

prayers, and occasionally meditation for people who seek Buddhist

instruction and practices.

SERVICES:

Right now, we are in the process of rebuilding the temple. But on a daily

basis we provide prayers and some religious ceremonies.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

Khmers and people of all races are welcome.

WEST SPRINGFIELD COUNSELING CENTER AGENCY:

CHILD AND FAMILY SERVICES OF PIONEER VALLEY

CONTACT:

Bob Marmor

PHONE: (413) 737-4718

Associate Executive Director

Director of Multicultural Services

ADDRESS:

507 Union Street

West Springfield, MA 01089

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

Vietnamese, Russian, Bosnian and Spanish

DESCRIPTION:

Counseling and mental health services ranging from resource and referral,

community education, family skill builder, family therapy, individual

therapy and group therapy.

SERVICES:

Counseling both in clinic and outreach family preservation services,

mental health services, i.e., psych testing and medication management for

psychiatric illnesses. Family preservation services include: in-home

counseling, case management and parenting education.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Russian speaking clients, clients from the former Yugoslavia,

Vietnamese speaking clients and Spanish speaking clients from

Hampden, Hampshire and Franklin Counties.

CENTRAL MASSACHUSETTS AREA

CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF WORCESTER AGENCY:

Sr. Theresa Khen Doan CONTACT:

PHONE: (508) 798-0191 FAX: (508) 797-5659 Refugee Resettlement Program

Administrator

10 Hammond Street ADDRESS:

Worcester, MA 01610

STAFF

English, Vietnamese, and French LANGUAGE:

A multi-service agency serving and resettling refugees and immigrants. DESCRIPTION:

Resettling refugees and immigrants, cultural orientation, MRRP Case SERVICES:

> Management, assistance for processing of INS change status documents, assistance through a variety of human services to refugees and immigrant,

history for legalized immigrants, and referrals.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Southeast Asian, European, and Middle Eastern

CENTER FOR LIVING AND WORKING, INC. AGENCY:

Joan Philip Meehan CONTACT: PHONE: (508) 755-1003

Coordinator for Deaf and Hard of (508) 755-1072 FAX:

Hearing Services

484 Main Street ADDRESS:

Denholm Building, Suite 340

Worcester, MA 01608

STAFF

American Sign Language and English LANGUAGE:

Deaf and Hard of Hearing Independent Living Services. DESCRIPTION:

We provide independent living skills training, advocacy, peer counseling, SERVICES:

crisis intervention, community education, public education, and information

and referral.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Deaf and Hard of Hearing AGENCY: CENTRO LAS AMERICAS

CONTACT: Teresita Orozco PHONE: (508) 798-1900

Acting Executive Director FAX: (508) 798-1908

ADDRESS: 11 Sycamore Street

Worcester, MA 01608

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English and Spanish

DESCRIPTION: Community-based, non-profit organization, providing services to the Latino

and neighborhood community in Worcester.

SERVICES: Community services, emergency food and clothing (food bank), referrals,

advocacy, translations, notary public, immigration services, meal site for Latino elders (Club 60), Economic Development Programs, and art classes. We also offer Spanish & English Classes, Family Center: Case Management,

and family skills building program. Outreach to customers with

developmental disabilities. Drop out prevention program and a mentor and a

job coordinator program.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Latino and neighboring community in Worcester

AGENCY: GREAT BROOK VALLEY HEALTH CENTER, INC.

CONTACT: Fritci Gonzalez, RN PHONE: (508) 852-1805

Nursing Director FAX: (508) 854-3248

ADDRESS: 19 Tacoma Street

Worcester, MA 01605

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Spanish, Portuguese, Albanian, and Vietnamese

DESCRIPTION: Community health center located in one of the largest housing projects in

Worcester

SERVICES: Medical, dental, mental health, social services, family planning, career

counseling, WIC (women, infants & children) linkage project working towards stopping the spread of AIDS and IV drug use, home visits, welcome visits to new clients, home parties, peer leaders - food distribution and food bank,

pharmacy, and perinatal program, etc.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Hispanic, Caucasian, Southeast Asian, Brazilian, Albanian, African

American, anyone in need of services.

AGENCY: SOUTHEAST ASIAN HEALTH PROGRAM

CONTACT: Tam Le PHONE: (508) 860-7700

Program Coordinator FAX: (508) 860-7990

ADDRESS: 26 Queen Street

Worcester, MA 01610

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Vietnamese, and Cambodian

DESCRIPTION: The Southeast Asian Health program is a community based health promotion,

disease prevention program. It promotes good health through education and

referrals.

SERVICES: The program health educators conduct outreach and provide health education

services at homes, Worcester housing projects, ESL classes, schools, and other

places. Smoking Cessation Counseling, Hepatitis B Screening, Diabetes

Screening, Mammography, Pap testing and in home radon testing are available

through this program.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Members of the Southeast Asian community in Worcester,

Massachusetts and surrounding towns.

AGENCY: SPANISH AMERICAN CENTER, INC.

CONTACT: Neddy Latimer PHONE: (508) 534-3145

FAX: (508) 534-5146

ADDRESS: 16 Cross Street

Leominster, MA 01453

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English/Spanish

DESCRIPTION: Community based organization servicing the needs of the low income Latino

population.

SERVICES: Programs for battered women and their children, civic classes, tutoring

program, CSBG, elderly nutrition and outreach, English as a second language,

food pantry, healthy choice/pregnancy prevention, HIV education, peer leadership, and prevention, HIV/AIDS outreach, homelessness assistance program, information and referral, LEARN, mental retardation services, parent

project, prostate cancer education and prevention, street outreach to youth, homebased intervention, summer camp, tobacco education and prevention.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Latinos

VIETNAMESE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF WORCESTER AGENCY:

PHONE: (508) 753-5867 Rev. Phuong V. Nguyen CONTACT:

ADDRESS: 44 Temple Street

Worcester, MA 01604

STAFF

Vietnamese LANGUAGE:

Religious support to refugees. DESCRIPTION:

SERVICES: Religious support.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Vietnamese

WORCESTER YOUTH GUIDANCE CENTER AGENCY:

Carmen Rivera-Martinez PHONE: (508) 791-3261 CONTACT:

Culture Specific Service Director

275 Belmont Street ADDRESS:

Worcester, MA 01604

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Spanish

DESCRIPTION: The Hispanic Program now called, Raices: Programa Latinoamericano de

Orientacion Familiar (Latin American Family Guidance Program) was

created in 1976. Since its inception the program's mission has been to provide mental health and related services to the growing Latinoamerican population in

the Worcester area. In 1993 a satellite office was opened in Southbridge.

SERVICES: Diagnostic Evaluation and Treatment: Family therapy, individual

psychotherapy, sibling therapy, parenting, crisis intervention, and

psychopharmacology, Family Support Services: Advocacy, interpreting, transportation, mother support groups, father support groups, youth groups, and short in-home respite, Outreach: Community outreach, and crisis/after

crisis outreach services. Community mental health education.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Latinoamerican children, adolescents, and families.

NORTH EAST AREA

AGENCY: ALTERNATIVE HOUSE, INC.

CONTACT: Kathy Kelley PHONE: (978) 937-5777

Executive Director

ADDRESS: P. O. Box 2100

Lowell, MA 01851

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Spanish, Khmer, Cantonese, Thai, Laotian, and Korean

DESCRIPTION: Battered woman's shelter and outreach services - multi-service organization

for women and children who are victims of domestic violence.

SERVICES: Crisis oriented shelters, 24 hour crisis hotline, court advocacy, support groups

(shelter and community based) Teen Dating Violence Prevention Program, Community Outreach/Education, resources referrals. Legal information

clinics, and life skills/self-esteem groups.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Battered women and their children. Awareness and prevention

education for all

AGENCY: ARBOUR COUNSELING SERVICES

CONTACT: Sarah Quinn, Ph.D., ABPP PHONE: (978) 453-5736

Director

ADDRESS: 10 Bridge Street

Lowell, MA 01852

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Spanish, Khmer, Laotian, and Vietnamese

DESCRIPTION: Mental Health Clinic.

SERVICES: Individual, family and group therapy (outpatient); psychiatric evaluation and

medication follow-up; consultation to schools and agencies. Open week days

and Saturdays plus five evenings a week.

POPULATIONS SERVED: All ages. Can accept Medicaid, Medicare, many HMO's,

commercial insurance or self-pay.

AGENCY: CAMBODIAN AMERICAN LEAGUE OF LOWELL (CALL)

CONTACT: Ratha Paul Yem PHONE: (978) 454-3707

Executive Director FAX: (978) 441-1781

Email:

Internet Address: www.CambodianUsa.com

ADDRESS: 60 Middlesex Street

Lowell, MA 01852

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Cambodian and English

DESCRIPTION: A non-profit Community Development Corp. (CDC) that serves low and

moderate income Southeast Asians in greater Lowell, particularly the residents and businesses in the Highland Neighborhood, to promote economic and

community development.

SERVICES: Training on small business start-up, which includes technical assistance and

small business loan program. First time home buyer training and assistance seminar, low income housing development. Publishing monthly bi-lingual newspaper, Bayon Business News (BBN) distributed throughout New England, producing weekly Community Access TV programs, Cambodian Cable News (CCN) in Cambodian and distributing to six communities in Massachusetts. Coordinating and supporting event activities that promote cultural preservation such as Cambodian New Year celebration in April.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Low and moderate income Southeast Asians and other refugees and

immigrants in the Lowell area.

AGENCY: CAMBODIAN COMMUNITY OF MASS., INC.

CONTACT: Peter Chea PHONE: (781) 593-4333

Executive Director FAX: (781) 593-4555

ADDRESS: 191 N. Common Street, 3rd Floor

Lynn, MA 01905

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Bilingual (Khmer and English)

DESCRIPTION: A self-help nonprofit agency since 1979, the Cambodian Community of

Massachusetts, Inc. serves the needs of Cambodian refugees and immigrants.

SERVICES: Language and employment services, citizenship assistance program, youth

outreach program, ESL/native language training, crisis intervention, community outreach and education, translation and referral services.

POPULATIONS SERVED: 15,000 in Greater Boston and North Shore areas.

AGENCY: CAMBODIAN MUTUAL ASSISTANCE ASSOCIATION

CONTACT: Samkhann Khoeun PHONE: (978) 454-4286

Executive Director

ADDRESS: 165 Jackson Street

Lowell, MA 01852

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Cambodian

DESCRIPTION: Multi service agency serving Cambodian community.

SERVICES: ESL, work place ESL, employment and training, alternative school (GED)

youth recreation, peer leadership, day care, community outreach, family support, crisis intervention. Classes in Cambodian culture, history, and

language.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Cambodian community of Lowell. Komar day care serves population

at large.

AGENCY: ELIOT CHURCH (PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH USA)

CONTACT: David W. Malone, Pastor PHONE: (978) 452-3383

ADDRESS: 273 Summer Street

Lowell, MA 01852

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Khmer

DESCRIPTION: A Christian congregation whose predominant membership are North

American-born English speaking persons and Cambodian-born persons and their children. Increasing numbers of African immigrants and refugees are

becoming part of this congregation.

SERVICES: Citizenship classes and education; translation services; crisis assistance;

acculturation experiences for both predominant groups (American-born and Cambodian born); Cambodian adolescent women's group; and Cambodian adolescent men's activity program. Also, health advocacy, education, monitoring is provided by a staff of volunteer nurses, one of whom speaks

Khmer.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Cambodian, also serve low-income White, Hispanic, and

Brazilian people.

AGENCY: GREATER LAWRENCE FAMILY HEALTH CENTER

CONTACT: Raymond Fredette PHONE: (978) 686-0090 (main)

CEO (978) 725-7400 (administration)

ADDRESS: 34 Haverhill Street

Lawrence, MA 01841

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Spanish, French, English, and Vietnamese

DESCRIPTION: Non-profit community operated group medical practice and Community

Health Center.

SERVICES: Primary care medicine, social services, nutrition, outreach, health education,

HIV counseling and testing, and family planning.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Indochinese, Cuban, Central American, Puerto Rican, and

Dominican

AGENCY: GREATER LOWELL REGIONAL EMPLOYMENT BOARD

OFFICE OF EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING

CONTACT: Henry Przydzial PHONE: (978) 459-2336

Executive Director FAX: (978) 459-2111

ADDRESS: 107 Merrimack Street

Lowell, MA 01852

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English. Interpreter services are available to limited English speaking clients in

Portuguese, Khmer and Spanish upon proper notice.

DESCRIPTION: Administrative entity for the Career Center of Lowell. Local grant recipient of

federal and state grants for the general public's employment and training needs

SERVICES: One stop career center designed to assist businesses with their employment

needs and provide individuals with resources to manage their employment transitions and careers. Services available include: universal job bank and job marketing system, personal computers and laser printers, internet job service, resume assistance, telephones, fax machines, self-administered assessment and interest inventory tools, and occupational skills training (available at no cost to

public meeting specific eligibility criteria).

POPULATIONS SERVED: General public.

AGENCY: HOLY FAMI

HOLY FAMILY HOSPITAL

CONTACT:

Claudia Dupuis, RN

PHONE: (978) 687-6355

ADDRESS:

60 East Street

Methuen, MA 01844

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

Spanish

DESCRIPTION:

Community based pediatric health center.

SERVICES:

Health care.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

Anglo, Vietnamese, Hispanic, Cambodian and Lebanese.

AGENCY:

INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE OF GREATER LAWRENCE, INC.

CONTACT:

Ralph Abislaiman
Executive Director

PHONE: (978) 687-0981

ADDRESS:

125 Amesbury Street

Lawrence, MA 01840

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

Spanish, French, and Sango (African Language)

DESCRIPTION:

A non-profit voluntary social service agency providing support for immigrants,

refugees, and others to assist them in becoming self-sufficient.

SERVICES:

Immigration documentation, English classes, citizenship/civics classes,

occupational skills training, health education, day care, family literary classes,

youth activities, and refugee resettlement.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

Hispanics, Vietnamese, Lebanese, Portuguese, Turkish,

African, Russian, Polish, Korean, Chinese, Brazilian,

Cambodian, Haitian, and others.

AGENCY: INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE OF LOWELL, INC.

CONTACT: Martha Monazynski Welch PHONE: (978) 459-9031

Executive Director FAX: (978) 459-0154

ADDRESS: 144 Merrimack Street, Suite 202

Lowell, MA 01852

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Khmer, Spanish, Portuguese, Polish, and French

DESCRIPTION: Social service agency, established in 1918 to assist immigrants,

refugees and newcomers resettling in a new country.

SERVICES: Immigration and naturalization assistance, interpreter and translation service,

document preparation, counseling, referrals, ethnic clubs, family reunification,

notary service and refugee resettlement.

POPULATIONS SERVED: All

AGENCY: JEWISH FAMILY SERVICES OF THE NORTH SHORE

NEW AMERICAN CENTER

CONTACT: Julie Mattera

Julie Mattera PHONE: (781) 593-0100 Career Services Director FAX: (781) 599-3329

Alla Brikman

Resettlement Services Director

ADDRESS: 298 Union Street

Lynn, MA 01901

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Russian, Bosnian (Serbo-Croatian), English and German

DESCRIPTION: Non-profit social service agency geared toward refugees, and under-served

populations.

SERVICES: Refugee resettlement program for referred Russian, and Bosnian clients

(referred from a MRRP agency), ESL classes for these clients and refugee job services. RETAIN- Welfare to Work program for health care industry. Russian teen program. Psychotherapy for Russian population. Citizenship training.

Yoga classes for elderly Russians.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Russians (all ages), Bosnians, Kosovars, and Welfare-to Work

population.

AGENCY: LOWELL COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER

COMMUNITY HEALTH INITIATIVES

CONTACT: Kevin O'Connell PHONE: (978) 937-9448

Clinical Director TTY: (978) 937-9597 DETOX: (978) 858-0533

ADDRESS: 685 Lawrence Street

Lowell, MA 01852

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Spanish, Khmer, Portuguese, Laotian, Hindi, and Vietnamese

DESCRIPTION: Provide inpatient detoxification and outpatient counseling service to clients

who require treatment for addictive and related disorders.

SERVICES: Inpatient Detoxification; Outpatient Individual, Group, Family Counseling

and Day Treatment Program. SOAP (Structured Outpatient Addiction Program); Special groups for Southeast Asian Population; and Group

Counseling for Driver Alcohol Education (DAE)

POPULATIONS SERVED: Inpatient Detox-adults, male and female including pregnant

women. Outpatient male and female over age of 18 - Specialize in program for Spanish and Southeast Asians. Can work with dually

diagnosed under most circumstances.

AGENCY: LOWELL YWCA

CONTACT: Arva J. Clark PHONE: (978) 454-5405

Executive Director FAX: (978) 454-5043

ADDRESS: 206 Rogers Street

Lowell, MA 01852

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Spanish, Khmer, and Portuguese

DESCRIPTION: A non-profit multi-service agency that provides programs for women, men,

girls, boys and families from Lowell's diverse language and cultural groups.

SERVICES: Licensed childcare, youth programs, and social service programs. ABE/GED,

Job Readiness, Job Training, Job Placement, and Job Retention Services.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Low-income adults, youth, and families that are eligible for

government funded services, as specified for each program.

LYNN COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER AGENCY:

Dr. Stephen D. Hayes PHONE: (781) 581-3900 Ext. 205 CONTACT:

Director of Mental Health

and Substance Abuse Services

269 Union Street ADDRESS:

Lynn, MA 01901

STAFF

English, Spanish, Khmer, French, German, Russian and Haitian LANGUAGE:

DESCRIPTION: The Lynn community health center is a private non-profit licensed outpatient

clinic that provides medical and mental health care.

Adult medicine, pediatrics, obstetrics and gynecology, health education, **SERVICES:**

> mental health treatment and consultation, nutrition, WIC & school based teen health care, outpatient substance abuse services, and specialized geriatric

services.

POPULATIONS SERVED: All ages and all populations served

AGENCY: LYNN DISTRICT COURT, DA'S OFFICE ESSEX COUNTY

Elida Hem Kim CONTACT: PHONE: (781) 593-1850

> Victim/Witness Advocate FAX: (781) 592-4119

ADDRESS: 580 Essex Street

Lynn, MA 01902

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Khmer and English

DESCRIPTION: Guide and support victims, witnesses, and their families throughout the

criminal justice process.

SERVICES: Help victims filing criminal complaint. Notify victims and witnesses of the

> status of cases including restitution assistance if any. Help victims applying for victims of violent crimes, getting restraining orders, finding shelters, and referring them to the appropriate sources. Provide translation for DA in the

interview and transportation if necessary.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Lynn residents and other towns in Essex county if necessary.

Phone crisis services from other counties if necessary.

AGENCY: MERRIMACK VALLEY AREA HEALTH EDUCATION CENTER

(AHEC)

CONTACT: Edith Mas PHONE: (978) 685-4860

Executive Director

ADDRESS: 34 Haverhill Street

Lawrence, MA 01841

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Spanish, English

DESCRIPTION: One of six regional centers in a statewide AHEC network.

SERVICES: Recruitment and education of health care staff.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Health care professionals and para professional, medical

interpreters.

AGENCY: MICAS CAMBODIAN YOUTH AND FAMILY HEALTH CENTER

CONTACT: Phanary Auk PHONE: (781) 595-2300

Office Manager

ADDRESS: 298 Union Street

Lynn, MA 01901-1318

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Khmer, Vietnamese, Chinese, and Japanese

DESCRIPTION: MICAS provides a wide range of bilingual/bicultural mental health, child

welfare educational support, and social services to Cambodian and children

ages 6-21 and their families.

SERVICES: Agency mental health services include: diagnostic evaluation; evaluation

individual and family therapy; case management; intensive hospital diversion services for children and their family members; consultation to DMH and other

mental health providers; and educational workshops for DMH and other

mental health providers.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Cambodian and Vietnamese

AGENCY: NEIGHBORHOOD LEGAL SERVICES

CONTACT: Ross Dolloff

Ross Dolloff PHONE: (781) 599-7730 Executive Director FAX: (781) 595-2022

ADDRESS: 37 Frie

37 Friend Street Lynn, MA 01902 And 170 C

170 Common Street, Suite 300

Lawrence, MA 01840

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

English and Spanish

DESCRIPTION:

Free legal assistance to families and individuals with income after taxes

below 125% of the federal poverty level.

SERVICES:

Legal assistance, advice and representation in landlord-tenant, family law, elder law, employment, public benefits and welfare matters and assistance to

groups undertaking economic development projects. No criminal

representation.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

Residents of Essex County who have income, after taxes, of less

than 125% of the federal poverty level or who receive TAFDC,

EAEDC, Food Stamps or Mass Health.

AGENCY:

NORTHEAST INDEPENDENT LIVING PROGRAM (NICP)

CONTACT:

Ruthie Poole/Deborah Anderson

PHONE: (978) 687-4288

Services to Mental Health Consumer/

FAX: (978) 689-4488

Psychiatric Survivors

ADDRESS:

20 Ballard Road

Lawrence, MA 01843

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

Primarily English, Spanish interpreter available

DESCRIPTION:

NILP is a cross disability agency run by and for people with disabilities.

SERVICES:

Individual and systems advocacy, peer counseling, information and referral,

community education, technical assistance and skills training.

Services to Mental Health Consumers/Psychiatric Survivors Program is run by and for people with psychiatric disabilities. Free of charge, we offer technical

assistance advocacy and peer-support through a variety of services and

activities.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

People with disabilities.

AGENCY: NORTHERN ESSEX COMMUNITY COLLEGE

LAWRENCE CAMPUS

CONTACT: Katherine K. Rodger PHONE: (978) 738-7401

ADDRESS: Lawrence - Campus, 45 Franklin Street

Lawrence, MA 01841

DESCRIPTION: College-level credit & non-credit courses, ESL non-credit courses in literacy

to assist the unemployed and underemployed to attain economic self-

sufficiency.

SERVICES: ESL (morning, afternoon and evening, day-care available) basic education in

English and Spanish leading to basic literacy and GED training programs, and

counseling.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Hispanics, Southeast Asians, Russians, all non-English

speaking groups, any adult 18 yr. or older.

AGENCY: RUSSIAN COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION OF MASS., INC. (RCAM)

CONTACT: Sergei Bologov PHONE: (781) 581-0222

Executive Director FAX: (781) 581-7870

ADDRESS: 86 Lewis Street

Lynn, MA 01902

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Russian, Ukrainian, and English

DESCRIPTION: Non profit 501 (c 3) organization serving people coming from former Soviet

Union and resettling in Massachusetts.

SERVICES: Social Services: Community Advocacy, Translation, Referral Services, Legal

Assistance, Vocational Services, Health Education, Cultural Services, Elderly

and Youth Programs, Housing Assistance, Citizenship, etc.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Russian-speaking people living in Massachusetts.

AGENCY: SAINTS MEMORIAL MEDICAL CENTER

CONTACT: Cheryl A. Satryb PHONE: (978) 458-1411 X 4162

(978) 934-8309

ADDRESS: 1 Hospital Drive

Lowell, MA 01852

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Spanish, Portuguese, Cambodian, Laotian, Vietnamese, French,

Greek, and other languages

DESCRIPTION: Full-service acute care community hospital, 24-hour emergency service;

primary and specialty clinics.

SERVICES: Primary and specialty clinics, 24-hour emergency care, obstetrics, pediatrics,

medical-surgical, rehabilitation services, and diagnostic.

POPULATIONS SERVED: All

AGENCY: SALEM OUTPATIENT SITE OF HEALTH & EDUCATION

SERVICES, INC.

CONTACT: Maggie Padro PHONE: (978) 745-2440

Site Director & Coordinator FAX: (978) 745- 7615

ADDRESS: 162 Federal Street

Salem, MA 01970

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Spanish and Portuguese

DESCRIPTION: The Cross Cultural Program is an outpatient mental health and substance abuse

service comprised of a culturally competent team of professionals with expertise to meet the specific needs of multicultural populations. Expertise allows them to be culturally sensitive in rendering accurate diagnostic assessments and treatment interventions. Staff understands the complexities of

cross-cultural psychology, the process of acculturation, immigration, and stress, with cultural awareness of family value, beliefs, and traditions.

SERVICES: Individual, couple and family therapy, outreach services to the home and/or

school, 24 -hour crisis intervention and emergency services, psychiatric services, psychological testing, and a full range of psychoeducational groups for children, adults and families. Professional consultations also available to

community referrals in the public/ private sector.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Hispanic, Portuguese, and Brazilian. Services available to

populations from other cultures but not in their native language.

AGENCY: SANGHIKARAM WATT KHMER TRUST

CONTACT: Ven. Podhi Poli PHONE: (781) 593-4987

Ven. Kam Mom (781) 581-7266

(781) 595-7907

ADDRESS: 10 Story Avenue 110 Chestnut Street 109 Chestnut Street

Lynn, MA 01902 Lynn, MA 01902 Lynn, MA 01902

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Cambodian, Thai, Laos, English

DESCRIPTION: Theravada Buddhist Temple serves as a place for religious and social service

purposes for Cambodians, Southeast Asians and all other interested persons. Serves as a center for extra support on traditional Khmer Funeral arrangement

ceremonies for families.

SERVICES: Khmer traditional ceremonies (New Year and Prachum Ben), religious

ceremonies (Visakha Boja, Meak Boja, Cham Preh Vossar etc.) and some

spiritual counseling.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Cambodian, Laos, Thai, Vietnam, and American.

AGENCY: SOLOMON MENTAL HEALTH CENTER, DMH

CONTACT: Kathy Bown PHONE: (978) 454-8851

Center Director (617) 727-0206

FAX: (978) 454-7538

ADDRESS: 391 Varnum Ave.

Lowell, MA 01854

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Spanish, English, and Khmer

DESCRIPTION: Provide outpatient, case management, and continuing care

mental health services to eligible people regardless of ability to

pay.

SERVICES: Outpatient and Case Management provided by Latino and Cambodian staff.

Also, some capacity to provide rehabilitation services to Latino and

Cambodian eligible clients through contracted services.

POPULATIONS SERVED: English speaking, Latino, and Cambodian.

AGENCY: STAFF BUILDERS

CONTACT: Julie Ireland PHONE: (617) 787-5005

Director of Clinical Services

ADDRESS: 175 Cabot Street

Lowell, MA 01853

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Russian, Haitian Creole, French, Spanish, Chinese (Mandarin, Cantonese,

Toisanese), and Portuguese

DESCRIPTION: We provide culturally sensitive and language specific home care services;

philosophy of our multi-cultural program is to utilize skilled nursing, social services, physical therapy and home health aide services from the same

cultural background as those of the patient.

SERVICES: Home care services; skilled nursing, social service, physical, occupational and

speech therapy, and home health aides, and translation.

POPULATIONS SERVED: English speaking and ethnic minorities (Russian, Haitian, Chinese,

Portuguese, and Latino).

AGENCY: TRAIRATANARAM BUDDHIST TEMPLE

CONTACT: Ven Soa Khuon PHONE/FAX: (978) 251-1198

Head Monk

ADDRESS: 21 Quigley Avenue

N. Chelmsford, MA 01863

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Khmer (Cambodian), Thai, Lao, and English

DESCRIPTION: The Buddhist Temple is a place of religious ceremonies and meditation

through Buddha teaching for the Cambodians, Southeast Asians, and any interested person in the community who wishes to seek Buddhist instruction

and practices.

SERVICES: Hiniyana Buddhist, social and cultural counseling, Khmer, Thai, Lao and

English's center for the Cambodian community of Greater Lowell.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Cambodian, Laotian, Thai, Vietnamese, American, and others.

AGENCY: TRICITY MENTAL HEALTH AND RETARDATION

CONTACT: Bob Ott, Director PHONE: (781) 596-9222

ADDRESS: 95 Pleasant Street

Lynn, MA 01901

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Khmer and Spanish

DESCRIPTION: Outpatient mental health treatment.

SERVICES: Translation services available in Spanish, comprehensive case management in

Khmer, outpatient mental health, crisis intervention, respite, and day treatment.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Cambodian and Hispanic

AGENCY: YWCA - DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PROGRAM

CONTACT: Mary O'Brien PHONE: (978) 688-2645

Executive Director - Women's Services

ADDRESS: 38 Lawrence Street

Lawrence, MA 01840

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Bilingual, Spanish/English

DESCRIPTION: A Domestic Violence Program, Teen Dating Violence Project, Transitional

Housing for battered women and their children and for lone women facing

homelessness.

SERVICES: Crisis Intervention, support groups, legal advocacy, housing advocacy,

education and presentations, help securing a source of income (benefits, child

support, work) and information and referrals to anyone.

POPULATIONS SERVED: All women, children, adolescents, and elderly who are abused.

Direct service area: Andover, Lawrence, Methuen, and North

Andover. Information and referrals to anyone.

METRO SUBURBAN AREA

AGENCY: ADVOCATES COMMUNITY COUNSELING

CONTACT: Eve Mertens PHONE: (508) 485-9300

Bilingual Coordinator FAX: (508) 485-6904

ADDRESS: 133 East Main Street

Marlboro, MA 01752

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Spanish, Portuguese, and English

DESCRIPTION: Provide counseling, social work, psychiatric services to English, Spanish, and

Portuguese speaking children, adults, and families with psychiatric illness, chemical dependency, developmental disabilities, or other problems in living.

SERVICES: Individual and Group therapy for children and adults; Family Therapy – home

based services; Substance Abuse Services; Psychoeducational Groups

(Parenting, Substance Abuse, Others); and Psychiatric evaluation, treatment

and medications.

POPULATIONS SERVED: English, Spanish and Portuguese language speakers. Residents of

Marlboro, Framingham, and surrounding communities. All ages, ethnic and religious groups, races, genders, and sexual orientations. Mass Health and most major insurance accepted. Limited free and

low cost services.

AGENCY: ASIAN AMERICAN SERVICE ASSOCIATION

CONTACT: Richard Law PHONE: (617) 773-5482

Executive Director FAX: (617) 471-0235

ADDRESS: 550 Hancock Street

Quincy, MA 02170

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Cantonese, Mandarin, and English

DESCRIPTION: AASA is a multi service organization to help meet the needs of Asian

immigrants and refugees in Quincy and the South Shore Area.

SERVICES: Wollaston Senior Center for Asian senior people; Quincy Family Network for

0 age to 2.9 years old and family; After School Care Program for grade school

students; and Badminton Exercise for Adults.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Asians (mostly Chinese speaking)

AGENCY: IRISH PASTORAL CENTER

CONTACT: Sister Veronica Dobson, C.S.B. PHONE: (617) 479-7404

ADDRESS: 953 Hancock Street

Quincy, MA 02127

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English

DESCRIPTION: Multi service agency of the archdiocese of Boston, three offices one listed

above and the following locations: St. Mark's Rectory, 20 Roseland Street, Dorchester, MA 02124 St. Brendan's Rectory, 15 Rita Rd., Dorchester, MA 02124 and St. Augustine Rectory 9 F Street, South Boston, MA 02127

SERVICES Immigration, employment, health, education, housing, counseling referrals,

recreation and social opportunities, legal assistance, and general pastoral

services.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Irish Immigrants

AGENCY: JEWISH FAMILY & CHILDREN'S SERVICE

CONTACT: Andrew Schiff, Ph.D. PHONE: (617) 558-1278

Director of Mental Health Services

ADDRESS: 1340 Centre Street

Newton, MA 02459-2453

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Russian and Hebrew

DESCRIPTION: Since 1864, Jewish Family and Children's Service has provided high quality

mental health and resettlement services. Jewish Family & Children's Service is a nonsectarian, human service agency with offices in Boston, Newton, Lynn,

and Canton.

SERVICES: Resettlement and case management services for recent Russian immigrants.

Mental health services, including counseling by bilingual staff. Outreach to home-bound elders through a geriatric team of social workers and a geriatric

psychiatrist.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Russian immigrants, including children, parents, families, adults, and

seniors. Also Hebrew-speaking population and Israeli immigrants.

LUTHERAN SOCIAL SERVICES OF NEW ENGLAND, INC. AGENCY:

UNACCOMPANIED REFUGEE AND MINOR PROGRAM

PHONE: (617) 964-7220 Jeanne Woodward CONTACT:

Program Manager

1310 Centre Street ADDRESS:

Newton, MA 02159

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Vietnamese, Haitian Creole, English, and French

Non-profit social service agency providing foster care and supportive services DESCRIPTION:

to refugee children and adolescents classified by the U.S. Office of Refugee

Resettlement as unaccompanied minors.

Foster care placement; bilingual/bicultural case work to provide support and SERVICES:

ensure educational, medical, psychological and legal needs are met;

recruitment and training of ethnic and non-ethnic foster homes; reinforcement of ethnic identity; family reunification; orientation to life in the U.S.; and

development of independent living skills.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Unaccompanied refugees minors from Southeast Asian, Africa, Haiti

and other countries as need arises.

AGENCY: RIVERSIDE COMMUNITY CARE

CONTACT: Intake Coordinator at Specific Site

Newton/Needham Outpatient Center Riverside Outpatient Center ADDRESS:

> 64 Eldredge Street Newton, MA 02458 PHONE: (617) 969-4925

Norwood, MA 02062 PHONE: (781) 769-8670

190 Lenox Street

Blackstone Valley Outpatient Center 206 Milford Street, Upton, MA 01568

PHONE: (617) 508-529-7000

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Spanish, French (at Blackstone), Russian (at Riverside), and ASL (at Newton)

DESCRIPTION: Riverside is a provider of mental health care, mental retardation services,

substance abuse treatment, and human services.

Counseling, medication, emergency services, a variety of day and residential **SERVICES:**

programs, and early intervention services for children age 0-3.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Area residents or employees requiring support for emotional problems,

issues related to mental retardation, substance abuse, or developmental

delays.

SOUTH SHORE MENTAL HEALTH AGENCY:

CONTACT: Rebecca Smith PHONE: (617) 847-1950

> TDD: (617) 847-1922

FAX: (617) 786-9894

6 Fort Street ADDRESS:

Quincy, MA 02169

STAFF

Various Chinese dialects, Hindi, Serb-Croatian, Italian, Arabic, French, LANGUAGE:

Spanish, American Sign Language (ASL)

Multi-service agency providing mental health services with sites in Quincy, DESCRIPTION:

Plymouth, Hyannis, Orleans, Chatham, and Provincetown.

SERVICES: Outpatient services (child, adult, MR, deaf Services, substance abuse),

residential services, day treatment, intensive child and family services, early

intervention, and crisis services.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Deaf individuals, persons, or various racial and ethnic backgrounds.

SOUTH SHORE MENTAL HEALTH AGENCY:

(at 460 Quincy Avenue)

CONTACT: Jackie Woodside, Director

PHONE: (617) 774-6005 Deaf Community Behavioral Health TTY: (617) 472-0424

FAX: (617) 770-3749

ADDRESS:

460 Quincy Avenue

Quincy, MA 02169

STAFF

LANGUAGE: American Sign Language

DESCRIPTION: Outpatient counseling center.

Outpatient services for children, adults, families who are deaf or have a deaf SERVICES:

family member, crisis intervention, parent training, substance abuse

counseling.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Deaf and hard of hearing children, adults, and their families. AGENCY: WAYSIDE BEAVERBROOK EARLY INTERVENTION AND

COUNSELING CENTER

CONTACT: Mimi Bovito

Mimi Bovito PHONE: (781) 891-0555 Program Director FAX: (781) 647-1432

ADDRESS: 118 Central Street

Waltham, MA 02453

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Spanish, French, Greek and American Sign Language

DESCRIPTION: Early Intervention Services- children birth to 3 and their families. Children

qualify if they have a developmental delay or if they are at risk for delay. Counseling Center – outpatient mental health services to children, adolescents,

and adults.

SERVICES: Early Intervention- home visiting/developmental assessments/groups.

Outpatient mental health- individual, group, family and couples.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Spanish speaking – outpatient and early intervention. French, Greek

speaking and ASL - outpatient.

AGENCY: WESTBORO STATE HOSPITAL MENTAL HEALTH UNIT FOR

DEAF PEOPLE

CONTACT: Neil Glickman, Ph.D PHONE: (508) 616-2327

Clinical Unit Director FAX: (508) 616-2861

ADDRESS: Westboro State Hospital

PO Box 288 Lyman Street Westboro, MA 01581

STAFF

LANGUAGE: American Sign Language and English

DESCRIPTION: Acute psychiatric inpatient unit for deaf persons age 14 and up.

SERVICES: Acute crisis assessment and stabilization.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Deaf teenagers age (14 and up) and adults who need acute psychiatric

inpatient care in a signing environment.

AGENCY: WORK, INC.

CONTACT: Jeffrey Hetrick PHONE: (617) 691-1704

TTY: (617) 691-1730 FAX: (617) 691-1735

FAX: (017) 091-1733

ADDRESS: 1419 Hancock Street, 3rd Floor

Quincy, MA 02171

STAFF

LANGUAGE: American Sign Language

DESCRIPTION: WORK, Inc. is a private, non-profit agency that provides vocational

evaluation, training, and support to people with disabilities.

SERVICES: Vocational evaluations, job training, placement and support, job coaching and

computer training.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Individuals who are deaf or hard of hearing who have mental

illness, mental retardation, and physical disabilities (ex. Deaf-

Blind).

SOUTHEASTERN MASSACHUSETTS AREA

AGENCY: ADULT LEARNING CENTER/BROCKTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

CONTACT: Linda Faria Braun PHONE: (508) 580-7475

Department Head FAX: (508) 580-7096

ADDRESS: 45 Oakdale Street

Brockton, MA 02301

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Primarily English, but some staff members are bilingual- Portuguese, French,

Spanish

DESCRIPTION: The ALC is a comprehensive adult basic education program designed to help

adults improve their reading, writing, speaking, listening, math and problem

solving skills.

SERVICES: Provide the following classes: beginning and intermediate literacy, GED prep,

math, writing, beginning, intermediate and advanced ESOL, family learning and computer assisted instruction. Provide the following learner support services: Information and referrals (education advisement, career information, health, housing, and family immigration and citizenship); and volunteer tutor

support.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Adults from Brockton and surrounding communities at no cost to

students.

AGENCY: BROCKTON AREA PRIVATE INDUSTRY COUNCIL, INC.

CONTACT: Kevin V. O'Rourke PHONE: (508) 584-1888

Executive Director FAX: (508) 587-1944

ADDRESS: 1 Centre Street, 2nd Floor

Brockton, MA 02301

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, French, Portuguese Creole, Portuguese, and Spanish

DESCRIPTION: Employment and training services to low income adult and youth workers

recently laid off from their jobs and incumbent workers.

SERVICES: Skill upgrading, vocational assessment, job readiness training, adult basic

education programs, occupational skills training programs, supportive services

and job placement assistance.

POPULATIONS SERVED: The 10 communities served by BAPIC include Abington, Avon,

Bridgewater, Brockton, East Bridgewater, Hanson, Stoughton,

West Bridgewater, and Whitman.

BROCKTON FAMILY AND COMMUNITY RESOURCES, INC. AGENCY:

PHONE: (508) 583-2045 Pat Kelleher CONTACT:

Executive Director FAX: (508) 583-4942

180 Belmont Street ADDRESS:

Brockton, MA 02301

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Cape Verdean Creole, Portuguese, Haitian Creole, and Spanish

DESCRIPTION: Support services including: case management, immigration, DSS liaison, legal

advocacy for victims of domestic violence. State certified groups for offenders

of domestic violence. Mental Health services for Haitian population.

SERVICES: Same as above.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Adult victims and perpetrators of domestic violence. Mental health

services for the Haitian community.

AGENCY: BROCKTON NEIGHBORHOOD HEALTH CENTER

CONTACT: Sue Joss PHONE: (508) 559-6699

Executive Director FAX: (508) 583-4649

157 Main Street ADDRESS:

Brockton, MA 02301

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Spanish, Haitian Creole, Cape Verdean Creole, Portuguese, and Chinese

DESCRIPTION: Community health center offering primary care medical services and social

services. Free care available to patients without health insurance. Mass Health,

Medicare, NHP, CMSP, and other insurances accepted.

SERVICES: Adult medicine, gynecology, pediatrics, prenatal care, routine doctor's office

visits, vaccinations, check-ups, eye exams, HIV services, teen clinic, health

education, and social services.

Residents of Brockton and surrounding towns with special focus on POPULATIONS SERVED:

those who do not speak English fluently and those who do not have

health insurance or who are on Mass Health.

AGENCY: CATHOLIC CHARITIES

CONTACT: Marylou Shearing PHONE: (508) 587-0815

Clinical Director of Outpatient Clinic FAX: (508) 586-9446

ADDRESS: 686 North Main Street

Brockton, MA 02301

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English and Spanish

DESCRIPTION: Substance abuse services to Latino population if they are uninsured.

SERVICES: Substance abuse counseling, education, and court mandated groups.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Latino population

AGENCY: GREATER NEW BEDFORD COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER

CONTACT: Pamela Kavanaugh PHONE: (508) 992-6553

Director of Program Development & TDY: (508) 994-2478

Quality Development FAX: (508) 990-7558

ADDRESS: 874 Purchase Street

New Bedford, MA 02740

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Portuguese, Spanish, and Cape Verdean Creole

DESCRIPTION: The mission of the Greater New Bedford Community Health Center is "to

provide programs and services that improve the health of individuals and the community." Since its inception in 1981, this United States Public Health Service 330 and Federally Qualified Health Center, provides primary health care services to the medically under served. We are a recipient for federally

funded Tittle III Ryan White HIV services.

SERVICES: Primary care and ancillary services include Adult Primary Care Medicine,

Allergy, Pediatrics, Maternal-Child Health, HIV/AIDS Primary Care, Infectious Diseases, Urgent Care, Podiatry, Dermatology, WIC, Nutrition, Social Services, Case Management, Laboratory, and Radiology. We maximize access to health care by providing both linguistically and culturally sensitive

care through well trained bilingual and minority staff.

POPULATIONS SERVED: The Greater New Bedford Community Health Center is open to

everyone with or without health insurance. All services are

provided regardless of one's ability to pay.

AGENCY: HELPLINE

Elaine H. Reiser CONTACT:

PHONE: (508) 584-4357 (508) 587-2309 Executive Director FAX:

47 West Elm Street ADDRESS:

Brockton, MA 02301

STAFF

English and Cape Verdean LANGUAGE:

DESCRIPTION: Information and referral services, Housing Assistance, Medical Equipment

Loan Closet, Food Stamp Outreach Program, Teen Line, Smoke-Free

Coalition, and Volunteer Connections Program.

SERVICES: Information and Referral, Housing Search, Food Stamp Outreach, Medical

Equipment Loan Closet, Teenline, and Tobacco Control Coalition Program.

POPULATIONS SERVED: All ages

IMMIGRANTS ASSISTANCE CENTER AGENCY:

CONTACT: Helena S. Marques PHONE: (508) 996-8113

Executive Director

ADDRESS: 58 Crapo Street

New Bedford, MA 02740

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Portuguese, Creole and English

DESCRIPTION: Non-profit social service agency that helps immigrants overcome cultural,

language and economic barriers.

General case management, support for the elderly, citizenship education, SERVICES:

> citizenship testing, native language citizenship classes for the elderly, HIV/AIDS & Substance Abuse services, Case Management and Outreach services for deportees and their families, health screenings, food and clothing

assistance.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Brazilians, Portuguese, Cape Verdeans, and other Portuguese

speakers.

AGENCY: INDEPENDENCE ASSOCIATES, INC.

CONTACT: Constance M. Gallant

Constance M. Gallant PHONE: (508) 880-5325 Executive Director FAX: (508) 880-6311

ADDRESS: 1

10 Oak Street, 2nd Floor

Taunton, MA 02780

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English and Spanish

DESCRIPTION: Independence Associates, Inc. is a center for independent living. We provide

comprehensive services which will enhance the range of acceptable options available to the consumer and improve the quality of life of people with

disabilities.

SERVICES: Information and referral, individual and community advocacy, independent

living skills, training and peer counseling. We are also a provider agency for

PCA or personal care attendant services.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Any person who has or identifies themselves as having a disability is

eligible for services within our service area.

AGENCY: LATINO HEALTH INSTITUTE/ BROCKTON REGIONAL OFFICE

CONTACT:

Rosa Adorno/Ernesto Santeliz

PHONE: (508) 941-0005

Health Educator

FAX: (508) 427-6915

ADDRESS:

1330 South Main Street

Brockton, MA 02301

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

Spanish and English

DESCRIPTION: A team of 5 Health Educators work in conjunction with 7 peer leaders. Their

role in the community is to conduct intensive outreach and participate in community event, as well as provide prevention participatory workshops. All

workshops are related to health education and disease prevention.

SERVICES: Latina Woman's Project: provides outreach and workshops for women and

their families. Protect Teen Health: Youth group dedicated to educate other teens on HIV/AIDS prevention and education. Brockton Men's Project, Substance Use Programs, Parenting Classes are services on prevention and

education as well.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Latinos, Cape Verdeans, Afro Americans, and non-Latinos are

served. These services are provided depending on participants

requests.

AGENCY: PROFESSIONAL COUNSELING CENTER, INC.

CONTACT: Jose Delgado, M.D. PHONE: (508) 997-0794

Medical Director

ADDRESS: 466 County Street

New Bedford, MA 02740

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Portuguese, Spanish, and Cape Verdean

DESCRIPTION: Multi-Disciplinary Mental Health Facility.

SERVICES: Family, group, and individual counseling, psychological and psychiatric

assessment, family and parenting assessment, marital counseling,

psychotherapy, consultation, crisis intervention, interpreter and translation

services.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Southeastern Massachusetts

AGENCY: PYCO (PORTUGUESE YOUTH CULTURAL ORGANIZATION)

CONTACT: Alan Silvia PHONE: (508) 679-0962

Executive Director

ADDRESS: 186 South Main Street

Fall River, MA 02721

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Portuguese, Khmer, and Spanish

DESCRIPTION: PYCO is a non-profit health and human service agency assisting people of all

ages, races and religions.

SERVICES: HIV/AIDS Prevention, Education, Outreach, Counseling and Testing;

Bilingual Case management, Substance Abuse Counseling; 1st and 2nd Offender's DUI Services; Batterer Treatment; Anger Management;

W.O.V.E.N.: Parents' Support Groups; TEAM Reach; Individual, Group and

Family Counseling.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Portuguese, Cambodian, and Hispanic.

METRO BOSTON AREA

AGENCY:

ABCD PARKER HILL/FENWAY NEIGHBORHOOD SERVICE

CENTER

CONTACT:

Milagros Arbaje

Director

· PHONE: (617) 445-6000

FAX: (617) 445-6005

ADDRESS:

714 Parker Street

Roxbury, MA 02120

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

Spanish and English

DESCRIPTION:

Multi-service, community-based non-profit social service agency.

SERVICES:

Employment counseling and placement, higher education resource center (assistance in filling out college and SAT applications, financial aid forms, and accessing scholarship information and applying for funds), Senior Center, Summer Works (summer youth employment), fuel assistance, emergency food pantry (referral based only), farmer's market, and information and referral.

POPULATIONS SERVED: I

Low to moderate income.

AGENCY:

ACTION FOR BOSTON COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT, INC.

(ABCD)

CONTACT:

Carole Bernard

PHONE: (617) 357-6000 X 241

Director of Public Information

ADDRESS:

178 Tremont Street

Boston, MA 02111

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

English, Spanish, Vietnamese, Russian, Thai, Italian, Chinese (Mandarin,

Cantonese) Haitian Creole, French, Cape Verdean, and others.

DESCRIPTION:

Multi-service, community based organization serving low-income

neighborhoods of Boston. ABCD is the official anti-poverty agency in Boston, and the largest human service agency in New England, with the majority of

board members elected from Boston's neighborhoods through the

decentralized ABCD neighborhood network.

SERVICES:

Job and skills training, high school diploma/GED preparation, Urban College,

Health Services, Child Care, Daycare Services, Head Start, Foster Grandparents Program, Elderly services, housing, fuel assistance/weatherization, Summer Works, and Community Coordination.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

Any and all; providing they meet federal low-income guidelines.

AGENCY: AFRICAN INITIATIVE FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT, INC.

CONTACT:

Juma Kayembe

PHONE: (617) 578-0525

President, Chief Executive Officer

FAX:

(617) 536-2142

ADDRESS:

775 Harrison Ave. Boston, MA 02118

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

English and French

DESCRIPTION:

Social and human organization dedicated to developing programs to address

needs in the community of low income minorities including refugees and

immigrants residing in the Boston Area.

SERVICES:

Basic English language skills, citizenship assistance, nurse's aide training,

computer skills, notary public services, home health services, and more.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

Low income minorities, including refugees and immigrants.

AGENCY:

AFRICAN PASTORAL CENTER

CONTACT:

Sr. Anne Malone

PHONE: (617) 541-1341

Director

FAX: (617) 541-1377

ADDRESS:

41 Harold Street

Roxbury, MA 02119-1605

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

English, French, Kiswahili, and Spanish

DESCRIPTION:

The African Pastoral Center of the Archdiocese of Boston seeks to serve African immigrants in Eastern Massachusetts. Immigrants from Africa face difficulties in adjusting to new social, political and economic structures and are often afraid to approach government agencies for help. Also, many do not know what services are available to them. The Center offers programs which are designed to meet the needs of newly arrived immigrants. The programs presently being offered by the Center focus on immigration, family life, education, health care and women's issues.

SERVICES:

Immigration, education consultation, housing, employment, health and education referral services, family support, women's groups, afterschool program, help in adjustment to new culture, welcoming atmosphere for newly

arrived, help in connecting to Catholic Church.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

African immigrants and refugees.

AGENCY: ALLSTON-BRIGHTON AREA PLANNING ACTION COUNCIL

(APAC)

CONTACT:

Paul F. Creighton, Jr.

PHONE: (617) 783-1485

Executive Director

ADDRESS:

143 Harvard Avenue

Allston, MA 02134

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

Spanish, Italian, Russian, Chinese, Vietnamese, Cambodian, and

Cantonese

DESCRIPTION:

APAC is a non-profit, multi service organization formed in 1968.

SERVICES:

APAC provides a wide range of vital community services including: fuel

assistance, USDA surplus food distribution, family services, elderly services, day care, head start program, employment, summer camp, summer jobs, etc., and a broad network of social services and also

community organization activities.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

Low income families from Allston/Brighton area.

AGENCY:

AMERICAN RED CROSS OF MASS. BAY

CONTACT:

Vilma L. Galvez

PHONE: (617) 375-0700

Legalization and Citizenship Coordinator

Ext. 211

FAX: (617) 375-0726

ADDRESS:

285 Columbus Ave., 7th Floor

Boston, MA 02116

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

Spanish and English

DESCRIPTION:

Immigration Services.

SERVICES:

Family Petitions, Citizenship Classes' and Application, Work Permits,

adjustment of status, translation, and referral services.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

Greater Boston immigrants and refugees.

AGENCY: ASIAN AMERICAN CIVIC ASSOCIATION

CONTACT: Chau-Ming Lee

Chau-Ming Lee PHONE: (617) 426-9492 Executive Director FAX: (617) 482-2316

ADDRESS: 200 Tremont Street

Boston, MA 02116

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Chinese (Cantonese/Mandarin), Vietnamese and access to other

languages

DESCRIPTION: Adult basic education; family literacy program; office skills training; job

counseling and placement; immigration and housing counseling;

interpretation and translation; information and referral; and publication of

"Sampan" newspaper

SERVICES: Multi service center for Asian immigrants and refugees.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Asian immigrants and all refugees.

AGENCY: ASIAN TASK FORCE AGAINST DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, INC.

CONTACT: Carmen Chan PHONE: (617) 338-2350

Executive Director FAX: (617) 338-2354

ADDRESS: P.O. Box 120108

Boston, MA 02112-0108

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Chinese (Cantonese and Mandarin), Hindi, Japanese, Khmer, Korean, and

Vietnamese.

DESCRIPTION: Asian battered women's program with bilingual staff and culturally

appropriate programs.

SERVICES: Provide counseling and advocacy services for Asian women and their

children who are suffering from domestic violence. Staff will respond to crisis calls, assist women to find help, advocacy at courts, hospitals, housing, welfare and counseling. Referrals to other services. Also, offers ESL, tutoring, offers informal counseling to families and outreach and

education programs.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Chinese, Asian Indian, Japanese, Cambodian, Korean, and

Vietnamese, battered women and children.

AGENCY:

AWAKE PROJECT

CONTACT:

Jennifer Robertson

Director

FAX:

PHONE: (617) 355-4760 (617) 355-3451

ADDRESS:

300 Longwood Avenue, Children's Hospital

Boston, MA 02115

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

English and Spanish. Others via interpreter.

DESCRIPTION:

Domestic violence intervention program located at Children Hospital and

the Martha Eliot Health Center in Jamaica Plain.

SERVICES:

Individual counseling in person and by phone; court, police, other criminal

justice advocacy; assistance in accessing legal representation; housing and

public agency advocacy; groups for Spanish speaking women;

adolescents; and any battered woman; group for women in substance

abuse treatment; and referrals to community resources, etc.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

Any adolescent or adult woman who is or has experienced

domestic violence and whose child (or mom) has been seen at Children's Hospital or the Martha Eliot Health Center. All

Services are free.

AGENCY:

BEACON HILL MULTICULTURAL PSYCHOLOGICAL

ASSOCIATION

CONTACT:

Belser Louie, Ph.D.

President

PHONE: (617) 720-3413

(617) 720-3451 FAX:

ADDRESS:

14 Beacon Street, Suite 620

Boston, MA 02108

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

Spanish, English, and Haitian Creole

DESCRIPTION:

Mental health professionals providing clinical services to culturally

diverse client populations.

SERVICES:

Consultation, psychological evaluations, psychological treatment/therapy,

staff development/training, and organizational technical assistance. Also serves mentally retarded and mentally ill under Department of Mental

Retardation and Department of Mental Health contracts.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

All

AGENCY: BOSTON ALLIANCE OF GAY, LESBIAN, BISEXUAL, AND

TRANSGENDERED YOUTH (BAGLY), INC.

CONTACT: Katrina Avila Munichiello PHONE: (617) 227-4313

FAX: (617) 227-3266

ADDRESS: 14 Beacon Street, #506

Boston, MA 02108

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, French, Spanish, and ASL

DESCRIPTION: BAGLY is a youth led adult supported organization for youth ages 22 and

under who are Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, Transgendered, or questioning

sexual or gender identities.

SERVICES: Weekly youth led meetings, activities, social events, monthly and

quarterly events (dances, prom, community events, movies, etc.) Peer

Leadership Program. Referrals available.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgendered youth 22 and under.

AGENCY: BOSTON ASIAN: YOUTH ESSENTIAL SERVICE, INC.

CONTACT: Jane S. Leung PHONE: (617) 482-4243

Executive Director FAX: (617) 482-3620

ADDRESS: 199 Harrison Avenue

Boston, MA 02111

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Chinese (Toisanese, Cantonese), Vietnamese, and Khmer

DESCRIPTION: Boston Asian: YES provides a broad range of prevention and intervention

services for Asian youth to address problems and barriers, and to build

upon their strengths and interests.

SERVICES: Individual and family counseling, GED preparation, afterschool tutoring,

substance abuse prevention, youth leadership, youth development

programs, and court diversion programs.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Asian youth primarily, ages 12-20, and their families. Service

area - primarily Boston neighborhoods.

AGENCY: BOSTON CHINATOWN NEIGHBORHOOD CENTER

CONTACT: David Moy PHONE: (617) 635-5129

Executive Director

ADDRESS: 885 Washington Street

Boston, MA 02111

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Cantonese, Mandarin, Toisanese, and English

DESCRIPTION: Multicultural, multi-service agency serving Boston's Asian community.

Part of the Boston community schools.

SERVICES: Day Care, Afterschool Day Care, Recreation Program, and Chinatown

Summer Camp.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Asian

AGENCY: BOSTON LIVING CENTER

CONTACT: Ronald A. Smith PHONE: (617) 236-1012

Program Director FAX: (617) 236-0334

ADDRESS: 29 Stanhope Street

Boston, MA 02116

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Spanish, German, Italian, and ASL

DESCRIPTION: The Boston Living Center (BLC) is a non-profit, peer-led community and

resource center dedicated to fostering the wellness and empowerment of

people living with HIV/AIDS.

SERVICES: Meal Programs and nutritional consultation; Support Club for HIV+ Gay

and Bisexual Men; Salon Evening and Soul Food Dinner for HIV+ Men of

Color; Basic and Support Services (personal care packages, hair cuts, medication adherence program, mental health services, Homestead, pastoral care program, housing support group, legal consultations, tips on

quitting smoking, community research initiative clinical trial updates, surfing the net, employment support program, American Sign Language (ASL) class, and computer classes); Educational Services; Arts Programs;

Holistic Therapies; and Social Activities.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Membership to BLC requires verification of HIV+ status.

AGENCY: BOSTON PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION -

COMMUNICABLE DISEASE CONTROL PROGRAM

CONTACT:

Pat Tormey, R.N., M.P.H.

PHONE: (617) 534-5611

ADDRESS:

1010 Massachusetts Ave., 2nd Floor

Boston, MA 02118

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

Spanish, Haitian Creole, and English

DESCRIPTION:

The purpose of the communicable disease control program (CDC) is to

survey, prevent, and control actual and potential infectious disease

problems in the City of Boston.

SERVICES:

Conduct health education programs on communicable disease prevention for community based groups and for health care providers. Work with health care providers and community groups to increase and maintain high levels of immunizations for children and adults. Implement measures for

the control and prevention of communicable diseases.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

Residents of Boston and the health care providers who

practice in Boston.

AGENCY:

BOWDOIN STREET HEALTH CENTER

CONTACT:

Peggy Buckley

PHONE: (617) 825-9800

ADDRESS:

230 Bowdoin Street

Dorchester, MA 02122

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

Spanish, Cape Verdean, and Haitian

DESCRIPTION:

Health Care Center.

SERVICES:

Primary health care; assistance in obtaining funded benefits - this service is provided to outpatient population. Mental health services (Psychopharm. and short-term psychotherapy) are available with use of an

interpreter in Spanish, Cape Verdean Creole and French.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

Multi-cultural population.

AGENCY: BRAZILIAN IMMIGRANT CENTER

CONTACT: Fausto Rocha PHONE: (617) 783-8001

Organizer

ADDRESS: 139 Brighton Ave., Suite # 2

Allston, MA 02134

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Portuguese and English

DESCRIPTION: Non-profit agency to inform, organize and educate Brazilian immigrants.

SERVICES: Work place rights advocacy, immigration counseling, ESL, and other

services.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Brazilians in the Greater Boston area.

AGENCY: BROOKLINE EARLY EDUCATION PROGRAM

CONTACT: Barbara Murphy PHONE: (617) 730-264-6408

Director

Vicki Milstein

Director

ADDRESS: 15 Hedge Road 88 Harvard Street

Brookline, MA 02146 Brookline, MA 02146

DESCRIPTION: Operates early education programs.

SERVICES: Offers comprehensive inclusive programs which serve young children

with a wide range of developmental needs and from diverse cultural backgrounds. A fundamental goal of the program is to enhance each child's opportunity for success in school. By operating as an integral part of the Public School system, the program develops continuity with the kindergarten and primary grade curricula. The classrooms are designed to

encourage children to plan, work independently, and successfully

complete activities. Activities/materials are available simultaneously in various learning centers. Parents and teachers work as partners in

observing and evaluating the progress of individual children.

POPULATIONS SERVED: All

AGENCY: BROOKSIDE COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER

CONTACT: Paula McNichols PHONE: (617) 522-4700

Executive Director

ADDRESS: 3297 Washington Street

Jamaica Plain, MA 02130

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English and Spanish

DESCRIPTION: Community health center providing family oriented multi-discipline

services.

SERVICES: Medical Primary Care: Adult and pediatric medicine; OB/GYN; Family

Planning: Mental Health; Substance Abuse counseling; Domestic Violence Advocacy; HIV testing/education; social services and lab

services; Dental; General Dentistry for adults and Pediatrics.

POPULATIONS SERVED: All

AGENCY: CAMBRIDGE AND SOMERVILLE LEGAL SERVICES OF

GREATER BOSTON LEGAL SERVICES, INC.

CONTACT: Patricia Tellis-Warren PHONE: (617) 494-1800

Acting Managing Attorney FAX: (617) 494-8222

ADDRESS: 432 Columbia Street, Suite 16

Cambridge, MA 02141

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Spanish, Portuguese, French/Creole and Hebrew

DESCRIPTION: GASLS provides free civil legal representation and advice to low-income,

disabled and elderly persons who have certain types of legal problems.

SERVICES: CASLS provides clients with attorneys and paralegals to represent them in

court, and before government agencies, to give legal advice and counseling, and to prepare and review legal documents. CASLS also provides community education and legal rights trainings to eligible client

groups and human service providers.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Low income people living in certain cities/towns. Persons 60

years and over living in certain cities/towns. Disabled persons

with Social Security or SSI disability benefits in certain

cities/towns.

AGENCY: CAMBRIDGE HEALTH ALLIANCE

CONTACT: Pedro Barbosa, Ph.D PHONE: (617) 591-6033

Associate Director, Ambulatory Psychiatry

ADDRESS: Central Street Health Center

26 Central Street

Somerville, MA 02143

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Haitian Creole, Portuguese, Cape Verdean Creole, Spanish, Hindi,

Cantonese, Mandarin, and Sign Language.

DESCRIPTION: Specialty clinics staffed by bilingual and bicultural clinicians. Other

languages available through Interpreter Services.

SERVICES: CHA is comprised of Cambridge and Somerville Hospitals, as well as 20

neighborhood health centers. A full range of inpatient and outpatient

medical and psychiatric services available including:

obstetrics/gynecology, pediatrics, medical- psychiatry, detox, surgery, 24-

hour medical and psychiatric emergency departments, and geriatrics.

POPULATIONS SERVED: People of all ages and nationalities, with specialty services for

Latinos (Central/South American and Caribbean),

Portuguese/Brazilians, Haitians and people from South Asian

countries.

AGENCY: CARITAS HEALTH SERVICES AT BRIGHTON MARINE

CONTACT: Cara Hafferty PHONE: (617) 562-5200

Marketing Specialist FAX: (617) 562-5234

ADDRESS: 77 Warren Street

Brighton, MA 02135

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Spanish, Portuguese, Russian, Cambodian, and Vietnamese

DESCRIPTION: Multi-specialty community health center. Many insurances accepted,

including Medicaid.

SERVICES: Primary health care, outpatient specialty care, dental care, laboratory

services, radiology services, and mental health.

POPULATIONS SERVED: All

AGENCY: CASA MYRNA VAZQUEZ, INC.

CONTACT: Patricia Cullen PHONE: (617) 521-0100

Emergency Services Director

ADDRESS: P.O. Box 10018

Boston, MA 02118

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Spanish and English

DESCRIPTION: Emergency shelter programs for battered women and their children.

SERVICES: Legal services for women in the community-support group and individual

therapy. Both services are open for women in the community and they are

free of charge.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Battered women and their children.

AGENCY: CATHOLIC CHARITIES, REFUGEE AND IMMIGRATION

SERVICES

CONTACT: Claire Carroll, Director PHONE: (617) 625-1920

Director

ADDRESS: 270 Washington Street

Somerville, MA 02143

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Bosnian, Albanian, Spanish, Vietnamese, English, Arabic, Portuguese,

and French

DESCRIPTION: A multi-service agency affiliated with the US Catholic Conference. The

agency resettles refugees in the Archdiocese of Boston, assists immigrants with immigration (legal) problems, interpreter services, and offers ESL

and citizenship classes.

SERVICES: Case management, resettlement assistance, interpreter services, ESL and

citizenship classes, legal assistance and information referral.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Refugees and immigrants from all countries, especially

Bosnian, Kosovar, Vietnamese, Hispanic, Haitian, and African.

AGENCY: CENTER FOR HEALTH DEVELOPMENT, INC.

CONTACT: James W. Crawford PHONE: (617) 357-0224

Executive Director

ADDRESS: 100 Boylston St., Suite 1075

Boston, MA 02116

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Spanish, Portuguese, and English

DESCRIPTION: Mental health facilities, residential facilities, and forensic services.

Minority- directed.

SERVICES: Mental health services, club houses, forensic mental health, residential

programs for adults, day rehabilitation services, supported housing, and

vocational training.

POPULATIONS SERVED: All, mental health services for hearing - and sight-impaired

adults.

AGENCY: CENTRO DEL CARDENAL/CARDINAL CUSHING CENTER

CONTACT: Ruth Rubalcava PHONE: (617) 542-9292

Executive Director

ADDRESS: 76 Union Park Street

Boston, MA 02118

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Spanish and English

DESCRIPTION: Social service agency serving the needs of Hispanic individuals and their

families.

SERVICES: Adult education, (ESL/GED), Case management, GED/BPS for young

adults and teens, drug prevention program for youth, pregnancy

prevention, and food bank.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Hispanic individuals and families from the Greater Boston

area.

AGENCY:

CENTRO LATINO DE CHELSEA, INC.

Juan R. Vega CONTACT:

PHONE: (617) 884-3238 **Executive Director** FAX: (617) 884-4646

267 Broadway ADDRESS:

Chelsea, MA 02150

STAFF

Spanish and English LANGUAGE:

Community-based, non-profit organization, providing health, education, DESCRIPTION:

and family programs to Latinos and others in and around the city of

Chelsea.

Health: HIV counseling and testing, support groups, condoms, HIV/AIDS SERVICES:

> information, Popular Education focus; Education: ESOL, Citizenship, Native Language Literacy, Computers, Spanish to Corporations; Family: Elderly program, teen program, domestic violence referral, and family

support.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Mostly Latinos, but others as well.

CENTRO PRESENTE AGENCY:

PHONE: (617) 497-9080 X 15 CONTACT: Antonio Amaya

> FAX: (617) 497-7247

54 Essex Street, 2nd Floor ADDRESS:

Cambridge, MA 02139

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Spanish

DESCRIPTION: A multi-service center that works with Central American refugees.

Legal, social services, community organizing, community education, ESL, SERVICES:

and Spanish literacy.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Central American, refugees, and immigrants. AGENCY: CHELSEA HOUSING AUTHORITY

CONTACT: Virginia Lopez PHONE: (617) 884-5617 x27

Resident Services Coordinator FAX: (617) 884-6552

ADDRESS: 54 Lock Street

Chelsea, MA 02150

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Spanish, Portuguese, and Vietnamese

DESCRIPTION: The Chelsea Housing Authority is a public and corporate body pursuant to

MGL C. 121B-3. Housing Resources - Federal and State Housing and Leased Housing Programs. CHA provides low cost public and subsidized housing to applicants based on several criteria (e.g. low income, elderly, disabled, veteran status). Federal and State-Aided Public Housing

Programs, State MRVP Program and Project-Based Vouchers, Section 8

Program, and State Alternative Voucher Program.

SERVICES: The CHA offers some resident services on-site, e.g. after-school

mentoring and tutoring programs, ESL, and public safety.

POPULATIONS SERVED: 450 families (Sect. 8), 209 families (707), and 910 families

(Public Housing)

AGENCY: CHILDHOOD LEAD POISONING PREVENTION PROGRAM

CONTACT: Roy Petre PHONE: (617) 753-8400

Assistant Director (800) 532-9571

ADDRESS: 470 Atlantic Avenue, 2nd Floor

Boston, MA 02210-2224

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English and Spanish. Translated materials in Spanish, Portuguese,

Cambodian/Khmer, Laotian, Chinese, Haitian Creole, Russian, Portuguese

and Vietnamese

DESCRIPTION: Provide environmental, medical, and educational lead poisoning

prevention services to families with children under the age of six years

old.

SERVICES: As described above. Translated materials available in Spanish,

Portuguese, Cambodian/Khmer, Laotian, Chinese, Haitian Creole, and

Vietnamese.

POPULATIONS SERVED: All Massachusetts families with children under the age of six

years old.

AGENCY: CHILDREN'S SERVICES OF ROXBURY, INC.

CONTACT: Sandra L. Tacke PHONE: (617) 445-6655

Director of Development FAX: (617) 445-0940

ADDRESS: 2406 Washington Street 504 Dudley Street

Roxbury, MA 02119 Roxbury, MA 02119

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Spanish, French, American Sign Language, Portuguese, and

French Creole

DESCRIPTION: A multi-service, non-profit agency which provides programs, services and

support to children and their families. CSR is a minority business enterprise which is opened to all. We serve most of Boston's

neighborhoods, Greater Boston and in some programs the entire state. We also administer Roxbury Unites for Children (RUFC) and Massachusetts

Families for Kids (MFFK).

SERVICES: Adoption, and foster care; transitional housing assistance (for DTA

referred only), childcare (in Boston, Worcester, Cape and Islands), parent

aide services, food pantry, permanency services including family visitation, kinship services, voucher services, court mediation, family services and MAPP training, Commonworks Program - co-lead with the

New England Home for Little Wanderers.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Opened to all. Some programs, such as transitional housing have

closed referrals (clients come from DTA for that program). Children and adults-all races, ages, cultural and linguistic

minorities.

AGENCY: CHINESE ECONOMICS DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL

CONTACT: Paul Lee PHONE: (617) 482-1011

Executive Director

ADDRESS: 65 Harrison Ave., 7th Floor

Boston, MA 02111

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Mandarin, Cantonese, Hangzhonese, and English

DESCRIPTION: A locally-oriented, non-profit, community development organization.

SERVICES: Focusing on real-estate development for the benefit of the community -

and English classes, levels beginning with intermediate.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Asian community at large.

AGENCY: COMMUNITY ACTION AGENCY OF SOMERVILLE

CONTACT: Jack Hamilton PHONE: (617) 623-7370

ADDRESS: 66-70 Union Square

Somerville, MA 02143

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Spanish, Haitian Creole, French, and Portuguese

DESCRIPTION: Community organization with three programs.

SERVICES: 1) Head Start - Program for pre-schoolers, 2) Advocacy Program -

Support and technical assistance for Somerville Haitian Coalition,

Assistance for individuals with housing or public benefits, and 3) Tobacco

Control and Environmental Justice.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Low-income Somerville residents

AGENCY: CONCILIO HISPANO DE CAMBRIDGE, INC.

CONTACT: Silvia Saaveda-Keber PHONE: (617) 661-9406 X 118

Executive Director FAX: (617) 661-8008

ADDRESS: 105 Windsor Street, 3rd Floor

Cambridge, MA 02139

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Spanish, and Portuguese

DESCRIPTION: A multi-service social service agency for Hispanic community residents

within a 30 mile radius of Cambridge.

SERVICES: ESL and ABE citizenship preparation classes - family services, addictions

program, information and referral, community support clubhouse (mental

health program), protective services, and interpreter services to

Department of Social Services, and youth leadership

POPULATIONS SERVED: Latinos

AGENCY: DEAF AND HARD OF HEARING SERVICE, CAMBRIDGE

HOSPITAL

CONTACT: Sa

Sanjay Gulati, M.D.

PHONE: (617) 665-1972

FAX: (617) 665-1973

ADDRESS:

1493 Cambridge Street

Cambridge, MA 02139

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

American Sign Language

DESCRIPTION:

Psychiatric services for deaf and hard of hearing children, adolescents, and

adults.

SERVICES:

Individual therapy, family therapy, medication evaluation and

management.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

All

AGENCY:

D.E.A.F. INC

CONTACT:

Heidi L. Reed

PHONE: (617) 254-4041

FAX:

(617) 254-7091

ADDRESS:

215 Brighton Avenue

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

American Sign Language

DESCRIPTION:

DEAF Inc. is a multiservice agency run by, for and with persons who are

Deaf or Hard of Hearing.

SERVICES:

Deaf and Hard of Hearing Independent Living Services, evaluations (vocational, academic skills, communication skills), job development and

job coaching, adult education, HIV/AIDS Project, Multi-cultural outreach,

Interpreter Mentorship, and Family Shared Reading Project.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

Deaf, Hard of Hearing and Late Deafened persons. Information

and referral for parents and family members. Technical

assistance for other providers, employers, etc.

AGENCY: DIMOCK COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER/DORCHESTER

COUNSELING CENTER

CONTACT:

Jane Brody, Ph.D

Adult Clinical Team Manager

PHONE: (617) 282-1511

(617) 282-9810

ADDRESS:

622 Washington Street

Dorchester, MA 02124

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

English, Spanish, French, Cape Verdean Creole, and Haitian Creole

DESCRIPTION:

Community based, private, non-profit mental health center providing

mental health, mental retardation, and early intervention services.

SERVICES:

Adult counseling and community support (over 21), child and school counseling and community support (ages 3-21), residential programs, early intervention program, supported employment program, family

support program, and clubhouse.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

Residents of Dorchester, Mattapan, Roxbury, and the South

End sections of Boston.

AGENCY:

DISABILITY LAW CENTER

CONTACT:

Intake Staff

PHONE: (617) 723-8455

(800) 872-9992

TTY:

(617) 227-9464

(800) 381-0577

FAX:

(617) 723-9125

ADDRESS:

11 Beacon Street, Suite 925

Boston, MA 02108

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

English, several staff members speak Spanish

DESCRIPTION:

The Disability Law Center, Inc. is a private, non-profit interest law firm providing free legal assistance and information to people with disabilities

throughout Massachusetts.

SERVICES:

Free legal assistance and trainings for advocates, organizations and

businesses about disability related issues.

Intake and Referral: Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday 9 am to 5 pm. No

walk -ins. All intakes are done over the phone.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

Low income persons with disabilities throughout the state.

AGENCY: DIVISION OF TUBERCULOSIS PREVENTION AND CONTROL

CONTACT: Sue Etkind, R.N., M.S. PHONE: (617) 983-6970

ADDRESS: State Lab Institute, 305 South Street

Jamaica Plain, MA 02130

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Spanish, Haitian (Creole), Chinese, Cambodian, Vietnamese, Cape

Verdean, and Portuguese

DESCRIPTION: State and federal funding.

SERVICES: Screening, case management, treatment and follow-ups, education, data

collection and analysis, and outreach services.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Individuals with active TB or in need of preventive treatment,

many of whom are foreign born and refugees, statewide.

AGENCY: DORCHESTER YOUTH COLLABORATIVE

CONTACT: Dennis Leferve PHONE: (617) 288-1748

Executive Director

ADDRESS: 1514A Dorchester Avenue

Dorchester, MA 02122

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English

DESCRIPTION: Located in Field Corner of Dorchester and incorporated in 1981 to meet

the increasing needs of troubled teenagers.

SERVICES: Counseling and meditation, alternative education programs,

employment/vocational services, and crime prevention.

POPULATIONS SERVED: All youths in Dorchester

AGENCY: EAST BOSTON ECUMENICAL COMMUNITY COUNCIL

CONTACT: Holly Lockwood PHONE: (617) 567-2750

Director V/TTY: (617) 569-1134

FAX: (617) 569-5946

ADDRESS: 28 Paris Street 50 Meridian Street, Suite B-1

East Boston, MA 02128 East Boston, MA 02128

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Cambodian, Vietnamese, Spanish, English, and Chinese

DESCRIPTION: Advocacy services on all issues; family services.

SERVICES: Community organizing, ESL, family support, housing, immigration and

youth services.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Cambodian, Vietnamese, Hispanic, and East Boston

community.

AGENCY: ECUMENICAL SOCIAL ACTION COMMITTEE (ESAC)

CONTACT: Call Telephone Number PHONE: (617) 524-2555

FAX: (617) 524-2315

ADDRESS: P.O. Box 4

Jamaica Plain, MA 02130

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English and Spanish

DESCRIPTION: ESAC is a social service agency that has operated in the Egleston Square

Neighborhood (Jamaica Plain and Roxbury) since 1965. ESAC works to facilitate and promote a stable neighborhood by stimulating efforts to

address local economic and social issues.

SERVICES: Provides housing assistance programs: Lead Paint Abatement, Senior

Home Repair, Housing Advocacy and Foreclosure Prevention Counseling. ESAC serves as the lead agency for the Greater Egleston Community High School. A Hispanic Lunch Program operates once a week.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Families, Youth, and Seniors.

AGENCY: EMERGE: COUNSELING AND EDUCATION TO STOP

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

CONTACT: David Adams

Adams PHONE: (617) 547-9879

Program Director

ADDRESS: 2380 Massachusetts Ave., Suite 101

Cambridge, MA 02140

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Spanish in Cambridge and Roxbury, Khmer'in Cambridge and Lowell,

Vietnamese in Cambridge, Cantonese, and Mandarin in Malden. Call

main number for times and locations.

DESCRIPTION: Counseling for men who batter. Training on domestic violence

interventions.

SERVICES: See above.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Adult men who live in Eastern Massachusetts.

AGENCY: EMPLOYMENT RESOURCES, INC.

CONTACT: Call Number PHONE: (617) 494-1154 Ext. 289

ADDRESS: 432 Columbia Street

Cambridge, MA 02141

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Spanish, Haitian Creole, and French

DESCRIPTION: ERI provides employment and training programs for people who are on

public assistance, underemployed, or unemployed. Services are free to eligible residents who meet the income and residency requirements.

SERVICES: Job training, employment/placement services, career evaluation, ESL,

education and youth services.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Economically disadvantaged, unemployed (due to layoff) and

employed due to low skills, and people who live within the metro north service delivery area: Arlington, Belmont, Burlington, Cambridge, Chelsea, Everett, Malden, Medford, Melrose, N. Reading, Reading, Revere, Somerville, Stoneham, Wakefield, Watertown, Winchester, Winthrop, Woburn, and

Wilmington.

AGENCY:

ETHIOPIAN COMMUNITY MUTUAL ASSISTANCE

ASSOCIATION

CONTACT:

Binyam Tamene

PHONE: (617) 492-4232

Executive Director

ADDRESS:

552 Mass. Ave., Suite 209

Cambridge, MA 02139

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

Amharic (Ethiopian) and English

DESCRIPTION:

Human service agency.

SERVICES:

Advocacy, interpreting, translation, counseling, and orientation housing

assistance. Employment training and referral.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

Ethiopians

AGENCY:

FENWAY COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER

CONTACT:

Don Farr, LICSW

PHONE: (617) 927-6200

Clinical Coordinator

FAX: (617) 267-3667

ADDRESS:

7 Haviland Street

Boston, MA 02115

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

English, Spanish, and American Sign Language

DESCRIPTION:

Outpatient Mental Health and Addictions Department in Community

Health Center.

SERVICES:

Outpatient Mental Health includes: individual, group and couples therapy, child, and family therapy, psychopharm services. Substance Abuse Treatment Program includes: acupuncture detox (walk-in), substance abuse counseling both individual and group. Violence Recovery Program includes: victim advocate services, groups, individual counseling and referral services. Medical Social Work Department provides HIV case

Management services.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender community, mostly adult but have recently started child and family service also. We also see neighborhood residents and students from some of

the colleges in the area.

AGENCY: FREEDOM TRAIL CLINIC

CONTACT: Justine Stohl, LICSW PHONE: (617) 912-7800

Deaf Services Program Director TTY: (617) 912-7897

FAX: (617) 723-3919

ADDRESS: 25 Staniford Street

Boston, MA 02114

STAFF

LANGUAGE: American Sign Language, PSE, and Signed English.

DESCRIPTION: FTC is a private non-profit agency. The Deaf Services Mental Health

Program has culturally and linguistically competent staff who specialize in

identifying and responding to the unique needs of dead and hard of

hearing people and their families.

SERVICES: Provide psychiatric evaluations and psychopharmacology services;

individual, couple, family, and group therapy; consultation and education; and community based services. Familiar with resources within the state

for referrals and linkage to other services that may benefit clients.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Adults, children, and adolescents whom are Deaf, Hard of

Hearing, deaf blind, and late deafened and their families.

AGENCY: FROSINA INFORMATION NETWORK

CONTACT: Van Christo PHONE: (617) 482-2002

Executive Director FAX: (617) 482-0014

ADDRESS: 100 Boylston Street, Suite 930

Boston, MA 02116

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English and Albanian

DESCRIPTION: An Albanian immigrant and cultural resource providing central

clearinghouse and referral services to Albanian newcomers arriving in the

USA. Frosing is involved in the education and dissemination of

information about Albanian history and culture.

SERVICES: Referrals re: ESL classes including self-help, USA academic equivalency

of diplomas earned at Albanian universities, translation of documents, preparation of curriculum Vitae, networking with other Albanian organizations in USA, employment and job training, health care and

health plans, and general, non-legal information about immigration-related

and other matters.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Albanian, but the information distributed is used by others.

AGENCY: HAITIAN AMERICAN PUBLIC HEALTH INITIATIVE (HAPHI)

CONTACT: Jean Marc Jean-Baptiste PHONE: (617) 298-8076

Interim Director

ADDRESS: 10 Fairway Street - P.O. Box 260386

Mattapan, MA 02126

STAFF

LANGUAGE: French, Haitian Creole, and English

DESCRIPTION: Public health organization for Haitians providing education, prevention,

counseling, support, and referral services.

SERVICES: Empowerment education for Haitian youth (Peer Leadership),

anonymous/confidential HIV counseling and testing, extended counseling

and psych. education, nursing assistant certification, health

education/prevention media campaign, and tobacco control program.

POPULATION SERVED: Haitians in the Greater Boston Community.

AGENCY: HAITIAN MENTAL HEALTH CLINIC

CONTACT: Mel Schmid, M.Div., LICSW PHONE: (617) 498-1109

Administrative Director (617) 591-6380

FAX: (617) 498-1897

Astrid Desrosiers, MD (617) 591-6029

Clinical Director

ADDRESS: 26 Central Street

Somerville, MA 02143

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Haitian Kreyol, French, and English

DESCRIPTION: Objective of positively impacting the needs of a population at high risk for

psychosocial dysfunction. It seeks to overcome traditional ethnic and linguistic barriers to mental health services utilization through the

provision of linguistic and culturally relevant treatment.

SERVICES: Psychiatric, crisis and therapeutic intervention to individuals, adult and

children (most major diagnoses have been and are being treated), family (acculturation issues, parenting skills, conflict resolution, reunification and specific child behavioral issues), and couples (marital adjustment and

conflict resolution). Occasionally, psycho-educational groups for adolescents and parents are held. Indirect Service: Consultation, and

public health education.

POPULATIONS SERVED: First and second generation Haitian immigrants and refugees.

AGENCY: HAITIAN MULTI SERVICE CENTER

CONTACT: Pierre Imbert PHONE: (617) 436-2848

Director

ADDRESS: 12 Bicknell Street

Dorchester, MA 02121

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Haitian Creole and French

DESCRIPTION: A multi-service social service agency for the Haitian community of

Greater Boston.

SERVICES: Employment and housing assistance, AIDS advocacy, written and oral

interpreter services, ESL classes, educational and vocational counseling,

preschool day care, and emergency relief services.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Haitian

AGENCY: HARBOR ME, INC.

CONTACT: Ellen Davis

Administrative Coordinator

PHONE: (617) 884-8974 HOTLINE: (617) 889-2111

FAX: (617) 884-9171

ADDRESS: P.O. Box 505634

Chelsea, MA 02150-5634

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Spanish, Khmer, and English

DESCRIPTION: Services for battered women and their children.

SERVICES: Crisis intervention, support services, advocacy, emergency shelter (1-5

nights), information & referral, and transitional housing programs. 24-

Hour crisis line 899-2111.

POPULATIONS SERVED: All women who are battered and their children.

AGENCY: HEALTHY START

CONTACT: Maureen McHugh PHONE: (617) 624-5522

Director FAX: (617) 624-6062

ADDRESS: 250 Washington Street, 5th Floor

Boston, MA 02108

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Spanish, Haitian Creole, Portuguese, French and Cape Verdean

Creole

DESCRIPTION: Assist low to moderate-income pregnant women access prenatal care by

providing them with health insurance.

SERVICES: Maternity insurance for pregnancy and postpartum care; assistance with

Mass Health applications for those women who qualify; information and

(617) 624-5399

referrals, advocacy; and health education.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Women at or below 225% of poverty.

AGENCY: HIV/AIDS BUREAU

CONTACT: Jean Flatley McGuire, Ph.D PHONE: (617) 624-5300

Acting Director FAX:

ADDRESS: 250 Washington St., 3rd Floor

Boston, MA 02108-4619

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Spanish, Haitian/Creole, and Khmer

DESCRIPTION: Receives state and federal funding.

SERVICES: Prevention and Education; Counseling and Testing; Client Services and

Housing; HIV/AIDS Health Services.

POPULATIONS SERVED: General populations at high risk, persons with AIDS or HIV

infection statewide.

AGENCY: HOSPITALITY PROGRAM

CONTACT: Lisa Tener PHONE: (617) 482-4338

FAX: (617) 482-8431

ADDRESS: 138 Tremont Street

Boston, MA 02111

STAFF

DESCRIPTION:

LANGUAGE: English

A non-profit organization that helps to find housing for families of

patients that come to Boston from out of town for medical treatment.

SERVICES: Place families with our host volunteer families (guest stay in private

homes) for short-term housing.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Anyone coming to Boston for medical treatment. Have had

Chinese, Hungarian, and Spanish speaking guests.

AGENCY: IMMIGRANT WORKERS RESOURCE CENTER

CONTACT: Juana Hernandez PHONE: (617) 542-3342

Executive Director

ADDRESS: 25 West Street, 2nd Floor

Boston, MA 02111

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English and Spanish

DESCRIPTION: IWRC is a non-profit organization that builds the capacity of immigrant

workers to protect, defend, and expand their rights in their work places

and in society. IWRC helps immigrants become leaders in their

communities and train others about their workplace rights.

SERVICES: Women's Leadership Training Program, ESL classes, Workers council,

case handling.

POPULATIONS SERVED: All immigrants, particularly Spanish and English speaking.

AGENCY: INQUILINOS BORICUAS EN ACCION

CONTACT: David Cortiella PHONE: (617) 927-1700

Executive Director

ADDRESS: 405 Shawmut Ave.

Boston, MA 02118

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Spanish and English

DESCRIPTION: People working together for a better future in Villa Victoria, South End

neighborhood and metropolitan area.

SERVICES: Family support program, information and referral, educational and linkage

services to families/caretakers of Hispanic mentally disabled individuals,

drop-out prevention program, and provide beginner and advanced

computer classes at our Technology Center, "El Batey."

POPULATIONS SERVED: Villa Victoria and metropolitan area residents through IBA's

diverse programs.

AGENCY: INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE OF BOSTON

CONTACT: Westy Egmont PHONE: (617) 695-9990

Executive Director FAX: (617) 695-9191

ADDRESS: One Milk Street

Boston, MA 02109

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Vietnamese, French, Spanish, Chinese, Czech, Russian, Khmer, Amharic

(Ethiopian), Somali, Kurdish, Swahili, Bosnian, Serbo-Croatian, Albanian,

and Portuguese.

DESCRIPTION: A non-profit, social service agency providing comprehensive services to

refugees, immigrants, and ethnic minorities in the metropolitan area.

SERVICES: Refugee resettlement, ESL and literacy instruction, counseling

information and referral, job placement services, victim's assistance

services (social work) ESL/Civics (SLIAG), legal/immigration

counseling, including family reunification processing.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Refugees, immigrants, and other ethnic minorities

INTERNATIONAL RESCUE COMMITTEE AGENCY:

Rita Kantarowski PHONE: (617) 482-1154 CONTACT:

Director

162 Boylston Street, Suite 50 ADDRESS:

Boston, MA 02116

STAFF

French, German, Bosnian, Vietnamese, Russian, Spanish, Somali, Arabic, LANGUAGE:

Italian, Swahili, Albanian and some access to other languages.

A voluntary non-profit agency with a cooperative agreement with the US DESCRIPTION:

State Department to resettle refugees.

Orientation information and referral; job counseling and placement; and SERVICES:

other resettlement services for refugees sponsored by our agency. Family

reunification and immigration information, reception services.

Adjustment to permanent resident status for refugees.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Vietnamese, Russian, Ethiopian, Albanian, Somali, Liberian, Iraqi,

Iranian, Bosnians, Haitians, and Sudanese.

AGENCY: IRISH IMMIGRATION CENTER

CONTACT: Lena Deevy PHONE: (617) 367-1126 Director

(617) 367-1420 FAX:

ADDRESS: 18 Tremont Street, Suite 143

Boston, MA 02108

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Irish, Haitian Creole, and French

DESCRIPTION: A volunteer-managed organization designed to meet needs of immigrants

through a central philosophy of self-help and community based

empowerment. The Center offers an active anti-racism program, crosscultural activities and works in collaboration with other immigrant groups

to support immigrants and immigrant rights.

Drop-In Center and confidential hotline where immigrants can find help SERVICES:

> with a variety of issues: immigration, citizenship, employment, housing, and other social service referrals. Two free immigration clinics staffed by immigration attorneys offered each month. Workshops, seminars, crosscultural and immigrant organizing programs, volunteer and leadership development opportunities, internet, computer and phone access available.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Seventy percent are Irish. Other immigrants use the

services provided. Services are free and open to everyone.

AGENCY: JEWISH VOCATIONAL SERVICES

CONTACT: Judy Sacks PHONE: (617) 426-6990

Director, Refugee Services FAX: (617) 451-9973

ADDRESS: 105 Chauncy Street, 7th Floor

Boston, MA 02111

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Russian, Vietnamese, Spanish, Bosnian, Somali, Farsi, and Arabic

DESCRIPTION: A private non-profit multi-service agency serving Greater Boston and

points west and south.

SERVICES: ESOL; employment and post placement services, skills training,

workplace education; microenterprise training and loans; citizenship services; services for individuals with disabilities; career and cross-

cultural counseling.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Russian, Bosnian, Somali, Vietnamese, Haitian-refugees and

all limited English speakers; teen-agers through retirees. Also,

all economically disadvantaged.

AGENCY: KIT CLARK SENIOR SERVICES

CONTACT: Anita Nasra PHONE: (617) 825-5000

Assistant Director FAX: (617) 288-5991

ADDRESS: 1500 Dorchester Ave.

Dorchester, MA 02122

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Vietnamese, Cape Verdean, Spanish, and Haitian

DESCRIPTION: A multi-service agency providing mental health, alcoholism counseling,

adult day care, transportation, nutrition, home-delivered meals, senior

centers, and outreach

SERVICES: Vietnamese: Weekly support group, case management, women's and

men's post traumatic stress groups. Cape Verdean: weekly support group, case management, and mental health counseling. Spanish speaking: weekly support groups and case management. Citizenship advocacy for

Cape Verdean, Spanish-speaking, and English-speaking immigrant

seniors.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Generally Boston residents 60 or older. Some programs accept

younger people. Program Catchment areas vary from all of

Boston to Dorchester, Mattapan, and South Boston.

AGENCY:

KOREAN INSTITUTE, INC.

CONTACT:

Young Sook Kim

President

ADDRESS:

P.O. Box 400058

Cambridge, MA 02140

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

Korean/English

DESCRIPTION:

Cultural education/social service organization.

SERVICES:

Korean language and culture classes/workshops, Korean/English interpretation/translation, Korean/English typesetting, and bilingual

tutorial.

POPULATION SERVED:

Public - all ages. Both Korean Americans and Americans without

Korean background. Individuals, families, organizations, and

corporations.

AGENCY:

LA ALIANZA HISPANA, INC.

CONTACT:

Carlos Martinez

PHONE: (617) 427-7175

PHONE: (617) 876-3540

Executive Director

ADDRESS:

409 Dudley Street

Roxbury, MA 02119

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

Spanish, English, and German

DESCRIPTION:

Multi-service center providing social services and educational programs to

the Latino community of Greater Boston.

SERVICES:

Summer Day Camp (6-12 years old), Adult Education (GED, ESL, ABE and Citizenship classes) Employment & Training, and Senior Citizens Drop in center, Youth Services; "8th Period" After School Program, Latino

Family Counseling Center; Substance Abuse Counseling, Family

Preservation, Mental Health Counseling, Home Visitation, Public Health Services; Latino Youth 2000 Program, Teen Pregnancy Prevention, Lead Poisoning Prevention. Community Volunteer Program, and Intake &

Referral Services, etc.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

Latino families, elders, adults, teens, and children.

LINKS PROGRAM FOR THE DEAF AND HARD OF HEARING AGENCY:

PHONE: (617) 268-0154 Rita Straubhaar CONTACT:

Executive Director (617) 464-0075 TTY:

(617) 464-7924 FAX:

50 West Broadway ADDRESS:

South Boston, MA 02127

STAFF

LANGUAGE: ASL, Spoken English

A non-profit agency that serves deaf and hard of hearing people. We **DESCRIPTION:**

provide Coop space for members to make and sell crafts. We are currently

going through an expansion phase which will formalize our center to

become a deaf arts center.

Deaf and hard of hearing people. POPULATIONS SERVED:

MASSACHUSETTS ALLIANCE OF PORTUGUESE SPEAKERS AGENCY:

CONTACT: Paul Pinto PHONE: (617) 628-6065

Interim Executive Director

Portuguese and English

ADDRESS: 1046 Cambridge Street 92 Union Square 11Mill Street

Cambridge, MA 02139 Somerville, MA Lowell, MA

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

DESCRIPTION:

Non-profit health and human service agency dedicated to removing barriers to essential services for Portuguese speakers and others in need.

SERVICES: Substance abuse services, HIV/STD services, family support programs,

> senior services, computer and ESL education, and citizenship classes, chronic disease/cancer prevention education, domestic violence

prevention, batterer treatment, home ownership education, tobacco

prevention and cessation services.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Brazilians, Portuguese, Cape Verdeans, other Portuguese

> speakers: Also substance abusers and persons with AIDS/HIV of all backgrounds; both English and Portuguese speaking.

MASSACHUSETTS COMMISSION FOR THE DEAF AND HARD AGENCY:

OF HEARING (MCDHH)

Information Officer or CONTACT:

(617) 695-7500 PHONE: (800) 882-1155

Case Management Referral Specialist

TTY/TDD: (617) 695-7600

(800) 530-7570

FAX:

(617) 695-7599

ADDRESS:

210 South Street, 5th Floor

Boston, MA 02111-2725

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

English and American Sign Language

DESCRIPTION:

A commission, under the Executive Office of Human Services, which

serves as the principal agency in the state on behalf of deaf, late deafened,

and hard of hearing people.

SERVICES:

Interpreter and CART Referral, Direct Case Management Services,

Training, Consultation, and Information regarding issues related to

deafness, hearing loss, and associated technology.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Deaf, late deafened, and hard of hearing residents of the

Commonwealth. Additionally, an information source regarding

information related to deafness and hearing loss.

AGENCY:

MASS. IMMIGRANT AND REFUGEE ADVOCACY (MIRA)

COALITION

CONTACT:

Victor do Cuotto

PHONE: (617) 350-5480

Executive Director

FAX:

(617) 350-5499

ADDRESS:

105 Chauncy Street, 9th Floor

Boston, MA 02111

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

English, Spanish, Portuguese, Albanian, Russian, Sinhalese, and French

DESCRIPTION:

MIRA is a coalition of community agencies, mutual assistance

associations, religious groups, labor unions, social service organizations, legal service providers and immigrant rights activists concerned about the

rights and welfare of Massachusetts' newcomer communities.

SERVICES:

Education about the citizenship process; access to state benefits and services; and training workshops on issues affecting immigrants and refugees. MIRA provides referrals and does not do direct service.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Organizations and individuals who work with new comers, and

those interested in preserving the civil and human rights of

newcomers.

AGENCY: MOUNT AUBURN HEALTH CARE

CONTACT: Sylvia Nobre PHONE: (617) 776-7400

Group Practice Manager

ADDRESS: 622 Somerville Ave.

Somerville, MA 02143

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Spanish and Portuguese

DESCRIPTION: Health Care facility.

SERVICES: Internal/family medicine, GYN, etc.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Central American and Portuguese.

AGENCY: NEPONSET HEALTH CENTER

CONTACT: Maryellen Zapata PHONE: (617) 282-3200

Social Services Coordinator/
Domestic Violence Coordinator

ADDRESS: 398 Neponset Ave.

Dorchester, MA 02122

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Case Managers - Vietnamese speaking, some Spanish interpretation, full-

time Vietnamese interpreter.

DESCRIPTION: Neighborhood health center.

SERVICES: HIV Counseling and testing, walk-in clinics. Adult medicine, pediatrics,

family planning, dermatology, OB/GYN, nutrition, optometry and mental

health, social services, substance abuse, food bank, and rape crisis

counseling. Childbirth classes in Vietnamese. Perinatal services for highrisk women/adolescents. Several support groups for women and children

affected by violence. Also, elder service agency - adult day health

program with health and social services on site.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Public non-profit health facility, South Dorchester, North

Quincy, refugee health assessment site: Programs service Vietnamese refugees and Irish immigrants. We serve all ages,

many options for patients without insurance.

AGENCY: NORTH AMERICAN INDIAN CENTER OF BOSTON

CONTACT: Joanne Dunn PHONE: (617) 232-0343

Executive Director

ADDRESS: 105 South Huntington Avenue

Jamaica Plain, MA 02130

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Micmac, Maliseet, and other native languages

DESCRIPTION: An Indian community agency providing a comprehensive, full range of

services.

SERVICES: Housing, individual and family support, alcohol/drug abuse, and

job/educational training.

POPULATIONS SERVED: All Native Americans.

AGENCY: NORTH SUFFOLK MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION, INC.

(Boston Site)

CONTACT: Donald Goff, MD PHONE: (617) 912-7800

Director FAX: (617) 723-3919

ADDRESS: 25 Staniford Street

Boston, MA 02114

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Deaf Services and complete translation.

DESCRIPTION: Mental Health Services; specializing in schizophrenia Mental Health

Services for the Deaf.

SERVICES: Complete array of mental health services.

POPULATIONS SERVED: All populations accepted. Complete Deaf Services.

AGENCY: NORTH SU

NORTH SUFFOLK MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION, INC.

(Chelsea Site)

CONTACT:

Divina Nieves Masso

PHONE: (617) 889-3300

Director of Records and Reception

FAX: (617) 887-1889

ADDRESS:

301 Broadway St.

Chelsea, MA 02150

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

English and Spanish

DESCRIPTION:

Mental Health Services in English and Spanish

SERVICES:

Chelsea Counseling Center offers a full array of mental health services for

individual, child, family, and medication in Spanish and English.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

English and Spanish speaking populations.

AGENCY:

NORTH SUFFOLK MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION, INC.

(Chelsea Site- Southeast Asian Program)

CONTACT:

Thang Pham, LICSW

PHONE: (617) 912-7566

Director

(617) 889-4860

FAX:

(617) 569-7890

(617) 889-4635

ADDRESS:

301 Broadway St.

Chelsea, MA 02150

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

Cambodian and Vietnamese

DESCRIPTION:

Comprehensive mental health services to Southeast Asian Population.

SERVICES:

Mental health services

POPULATIONS SERVED:

Southeast Asians

AGENCY: NORTH SUFFOLK MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION, INC.

(East Boston Porter Street Site)

CONTACT:

Nancy McDonnell, MD

PHONE: (617) 569-3189 FAX: (617) 569-7890

Medical Director

ADDRESS:

14 Porter Street

East Boston, MA 02128

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

English, Spanish, Cambodian and Vietnamese

DESCRIPTION:

Day/Evening Treatment, Mental Health Services, and Substance Abuse

Services.

SERVICES:

Mental health and substance abuse services

POPULATIONS SERVED:

English, Spanish, Vietnamese, and Cambodian speaking

population.

AGENCY:

NORTH SUFFOLK MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION, INC.

(East Boston Border Street Site)

CONTACT:

Rachel Cracknell, LICSW

PHONE: (617) 569-6560

Director

FAX: (617) 569-1856

ADDRESS:

530 Border Street

East Boston, MA 02128

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

English and Spanish

DESCRIPTION:

Early Childhood Services and Daycare.

SERVICES:

Childhood Services age 0-3.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

English and Spanish speaking population.

AGENCY: NORTH SUFFOLK MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION, INC

(Revere Site)

CONTACT: Nancy McDonnell, MD PHONE: (617) 912-7911

Medical Director (781) 289-9331

FAX: (617) 889-4635

(781) 286-5636

ADDRESS: 265 Beach Street

Revere, MA 02151

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Spanish, Cambodian, and Vietnamese

DESCRIPTION: Mental health services for individuals, group, family, child, medication

and some home visits.

SERVICES: The Revere Counseling Center is a mental health service center with a full

array of services and a complete bi-lingual staff.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Child, Adult, Family, and Italian, Spanish, Vietnamese and

Cambodian speaking populations.

AGENCY: OFFICE FOR REFUGEES AND IMMIGRANTS (ORI)

CONTACT: Juliette Hanh Nguyen PHONE: (617) 727-7888 x336

Commissioner FAX: (617) 727-1822

ADDRESS: 18 Tremont St., Suite 600

Boston, MA 02108

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Vietnamese, Mandarin, Cantonese, Portuguese, Russian, Turkish, Greek,

Cape Verdean, and Swahili

DESCRIPTION: Federally funded state agency charged with implementing refugee

resettlement in Massachusetts as well as ensuring that mainstream services are culturally and linguistically accessible to refugees and immigrants. The office implements a statewide citizenship program and provides

information and referral.

SERVICES: ORI, through a network of providers, funds and oversees ESL, domestic

violence prevention, health and mental health services, youth and womenrelated services, services geared toward former political detainees, foster care for unaccompanied minors, and other services as needs are perceived.

POPULATIONS SERVED: All foreign born.

AGENCY: OFFICE OF REFUGEE AND IMMIGRANT HEALTH, DPH

CONTACT: Mr. An TonThat PHONE: (617) 624-6091

Director

ADDRESS: Department of Public Health

250 Washington Street, 5th Floor

Boston, MA 02108-4619

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, French, Portuguese, Amharic, Spánish, and Vietnamese

DESCRIPTION: Advocacy and action for improving the access to and the appropriateness

of health services and health information for all refugee and immigrant

communities in Massachusetts.

SERVICES: Technical assistance to DPH programs for quality translation of health

care materials into foreign languages -- Enhancement of hospitals' interpreter services through the Determination of Need process -- Education and training for medical interpreters, outreach workers and health educators -- Liaison in all areas of health including domestic

violence, elderly issues, etc.

POPULATIONS SERVED: All immigrants and refugees statewide.

AGENCY: OFICINA HISPANA, INC.

CONTACT: Jaime Talero PHONE: (617) 427-0500

Executive Director

ADDRESS: 125 Amory Street, Building A

Roxbury, MA 02119

STAFF

LANGUAGES: Spanish and English

DESCRIPTION: A community based non-profit agency founded in 1970 by Hispanic civic

and religious leaders. Today the agency continues to assist members of the community to achieve economic self-sufficiency through educational

and career development.

SERVICES: Vocational preparation, business skills training program, engineering

assistance training, and accounting support training.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Hispanic, African-Americans, Asians, and others.

AGENCY:

ONE WITH ONE

CONTACT:

Mike Russell

Program Administrator

PHONE: (617) 254-1691 (617) 783-4254

ADDRESS:

P.O. Box 35404

Brighton, MA 02135

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

English

DESCRIPTION:

The One with One program integrates international newcomers into community and workforce by pairing them with US Partners. The US partner mentors the newcomer in life issues and skills immediately

applicable to needs while tutoring in ESL.

SERVICES:

Basic life skills, vocational training, and volunteer partnership program.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

All

AGENCY:

PSYCHODIAGNOSTIC ASSESSMENT TRAINING CLINIC

CONTACT:

Don Elligan, Ph.D., and

PHONE: (617) 414-4646

Mari Bennasar, PsyD.

FAX:

(617) 414-4792

Directors of Psychodiagnostic Assessment

Training Clinic

ADDRESS:

Boston Medical Center - Dowling 7 North

One Boston Medical Center Place

Boston, MA 02118-2393

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

English, Spanish, Mandarin, and Cantonese

DESCRIPTION:

Psychodiagnostic testing services for cultural and linguistic minority individuals who are patients of Boston Medical Center. Persons who

reside in surrounding communities may be seen as well.

SERVICES:

Psychological evaluation (intellectual, emotional, personality) at the request of professionals from various disciplines; area community agencies; youth programs; and other social service agencies. By

appointment only.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

Children, adolescents, and adults.

ROCA, INC. AGENCY:

(REACHING OUT TO CHELSEA ADOLESCENTS)

CONTACT:

Molly Baldwin

PHONE: (617) 889-5210

Executive Director

(617) 889-2145 FAX:

ADDRESS:

101 Park Street

Chelsea, MA 02150

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

English, Spanish, Swahili, and Khmer

DESCRIPTION:

A multi-cultural youth, family, and community development organization. Leadership training, educational and life skills training (ESL, GED, other), art and recreational/sport activities.

SERVICES:

Street outreach, gang intervention, leadership development, youth service corps, HIV/AIDS prevention/education, food pantry, on-site teen health clinic, home visiting program for young mothers, family education and

support services, and community development.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

All

AGENCY:

ROXBURY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

CONTACT:

Holly Guran - Career & Transfer

PHONE: (617) 541-5327

Patrice Brown - Counseling

ADDRESS:

1234 Columbus Avenue

Boston, MA 02120

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

English, Spanish, Creole/French, and Cantonese

DESCRIPTION:

College Counseling Service.

SERVICES:

Career planning, job placement, transfer counseling, short-term, personal

referral, and disabilities support advocacy.

POPULATIONS SERVED: African-American, Hispanics, Haitian, Asian, European,

American, Caribbean, and African.

AGENCY: ROXBURY COMPREHENSIVE COMMUNITY HEALTH

CENTER

CONTACT: Anita L. Crawford

Anita L. Crawford PHONE: (617) 442-7400

C.O.O. & Co-Managing Director

ADDRESS:

435 Warren Street

Roxbury, MA 02119

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

Spanish, English, and Creole

DESCRIPTION:

A comprehensive, community-based health center.

SERVICES:

Individual, couples, and family counseling, referral and linkage service,

consultation, and education.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Individual, couples, and family counseling, referral and linkage

service, consultation, education and psychological evaluations.

AGENCY:

ROXBURY MULTI-SERVICE CENTER

CONTACT:

Brenda Gadson

PHONE: (617) 541-5413

Executive Director

FAX: (617) 541-0186

ADDRESS:

317 Blue Hill Avenue

Dorchester, MA 02121

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

English and Spanish

DESCRIPTION:

Community-based multi-service center.

SERVICES:

Assistance and referral to obtain food, shelter, clothing, counseling and placement, educational and youth counseling, housing counseling and community development, information and referral, individual and family

counseling, emergency family shelter, sexual abuse and violence

prevention information and training, computer technology training, crisis response and intervention services for youth and families, advocacy and community outreach services, and mental health counseling services.

POPULATIONS SERVED:

All

AGENCY: RUAH - BREATH OF LIFE, INC.

CONTACT: Debra Scott Betts PHONE: (617) 492-8828

Case Coordinator FAX: (617) 497-7756

ADDRESS: 10 Russell St.

Cambridge, MA 02139

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Spanish, Amharic, and Tigrigna

DESCRIPTION: Residence for seven women living with HIV/AIDS.

SERVICES: Support services, Case Management, program activities, individual

counseling, NA/AA meetings, and relapse prevention.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Formerly homeless women living with HIV/AIDS.

AGENCY: RUSSIAN COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION OF MASS., INC. (RCAM)

CONTACT: Sergei Bologov PHONE: (617) 731-7789

Executive Director (781) 581-5588

FAX: (617) 731-6788

ADDRESS: 215-B Harvard Avenue

Boston, MA 02134

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Russian, Ukrainian, and English

DESCRIPTION: Non profit 501 (c 3) organization serving people coming from former

Soviet Union and resettling in Massachusetts.

SERVICES: Social Services: Community Advocacy, Translation, Referral Services,

Legal assistance, Vocational Services, Health Education, Cultural

Services, Elderly and Youth Programs, Housing Assistance, Citizenship,

Etc.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Russian- speaking people living in Massachusetts.

AGENCY: SCALE (SOMERVILLE CENTER FOR ADULT LEARNING

EXPERIENCES)

CONTACT: Betty Stone, ESOL Program Administrator PHONE: (617) 625-1335 X 6933

Beth Britz, ESOL Counselor (617) 625-1335 X 6934

FAX: (617) 623-8528

ADDRESS: 167 Holland Street

Somerville, MA 02144

STAFF

LANGUAGE: French, German, Greek, Haitian Creole, Portuguese, Russian, and Spanish

DESCRIPTION: An adult learning center which provides classes designed to develop basic

reading, writing, math, oral communication, and computer skills.

SERVICES: Basic education classes in English for Speakers of Other Languages

(ESOL), reading, writing, math, and high school credentialing subjects (GED and ADP, Adult Diploma Program); Family Literacy ESOL classes for Somerville residents; supportive academic counseling; information and referral counseling for child care, health care, legal aid and housing assistance. Job development accompanies the GED/ADP training program. Many classes have a computer component and the Somerville

Community Computing Center is co-located with SCALE.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Multi-ethnic immigrant populations as well as multi-racial

US-born with less than a high school education/skill level.

AGENCY: DR. SOLOMON CARTER FULLER MENTAL HEALTH CENTER

CONTACT: Dr. Jean Wilkinson PHONE: (617) 266-8800 X 436

Center Director

ADDRESS: 85 East Newton Street

Boston, MA 02118

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Spanish, Cape Verdean and Creole

DESCRIPTION: A comprehensive mental health service center with vendor community

agencies and programs that provide a variety of mental health services.

SERVICES: Intermediate care inpatient services, day treatment (adult) drop-in

program, case management, crisis intervention, psychosocial club,

outpatient counseling services, individual, families, couples, psychological testing, family support, community rehabilitation services, prevocational

training, residential services, and school intervention.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Chronic mental illness, children, adolescents, adults, and

families, priority given to DMH eligible clients.

SOMALI DEVELOPMENT CENTER AGENCY:

CONTACT: Abdulikadir Y. Hussein PHONE: (617) 522-6868

FAX: (617) 522-6300 Executive Director

205 Green Street ADDRESS:

Jamaica Plain, MA 02130

STAFF

English, Somali, Arabic, and Swahili LANGUAGE:

DESCRIPTION: Community based organization operated by Somalis for Somalis.

SERVICES: Emphasis on education, youth enrichment, employment, and

> empowerment of the Somali community. Services include ESL classes, GED program, Health Services (interpretation and access to insurance),

computer classes and social services.

Primarily Somalis throughout Greater Boston and also Arabic POPULATIONS SERVED:

speaking immigrants and other African immigrants (e.g.,

Ethiopians).

SOUTH COVE COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER AGENCY:

CONTACT: Daniel Lam PHONE: (617) 521-6730

Director of Mental Health Services

ADDRESS: 145 South St., 2nd Floor

Boston, MA 02111

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Cantonese, Mandarin, Toisanese, Vietnamese, Japanese, Swatow, and

Khmer

A comprehensive neighborhood health center with multiple mental health DESCRIPTION:

service sites in downtown Boston, Dorchester, and Lynn.

SERVICES: Home, office and school based services for children, adolescents, and their

> families. Individual, family and group therapy, case consultation, 766 core evaluations, and crisis intervention. Psychiatric evaluations with

supportive services and medication as needed.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Greater Boston Asian/Pacific Islander community AGENCY: SOUTH END COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER

CONTACT: Tristram Blake PHONE: (617) 425-2000

Executive Director FAX: (617) 425-2080

ADDRESS: 400 Shawmut Avenue

Boston, MA 02118

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Spanish, Portuguese, and American Sign Language

DESCRIPTION: Comprehensive medical and mental health service facility.

SERVICES: Pediatrics, Obstetrics/Gynecology, Adult Medicine, Nutrition, WIC

Program, Mental Health, Family Services, Dentistry, Eye Care, Podiatry, Audiology, Ear Piercing, Laboratory, Financial Services, Teen Night Adolescent Clinic, Young Parents Program, Mentor Moms Program, 'Asthma Clinic, Neurology, Family Stabilization Program, Parenting Groups, Smoking Cessation, School Consultation, Women's Craft

Collective, and Children's Group.

POPULATIONS SERVED: All

AGENCY: ST. PETER'S CHURCH

CONTACT: Fr. Bau Quang Doan PHONE: (617) 436-5578

Catholic Priest FAX: (617) 265-0463

ADDRESS: 309 Bowdoin Street

Dorchester, MA 02122

Vietnamese

STAFF

LANGUAGE:

DESCRIPTION: Vietnamese Catholic Community of St. Peter's Church. All Vietnamese

Catholics belong to this community.

SERVICES: Religious support, outreach, and assistance.

POPULATIONS SERVED: All Vietnamese Catholics; 500 people served.

THE GUIDANCE CENTER, INC. AGENCY:

CROSS-CULTURAL PROGRAM

CONTACT: Mary C. Chatsworth, M.A.

PHONE: (617) 354-2275

BILINGUAL: (617) 497-6663 Intake Coordinator

(617) 547-4356 FAX:

5 Sacramento Street ADDRESS:

Cambridge, MA 02138-1891

STAFF

Spanish, Portuguese, Haitian Creole, and English LANGUAGE:

DESCRIPTION: Non-profit, community based agency serving children and their families in

Cambridge and Somerville.

Early intervention services in Cambridge, as well as counseling for SERVICES:

children, adolescents, and families. Counseling services include family,

individual, and group (both child and parent) counseling.

Psychopharmacological services, as well as psychological testing are also

available.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Services are available to Cambridge residents, regardless of

ability to pay. Services are offered on a sliding-scale fee and

most insurance plans are accepted.

AGENCY: THE WELCOME PROJECT, INC.

CONTACT: Charles Gargiulo PHONE: (617) 623-6633 **Executive Director** (617) 623-7189 FAX:

530 Mystic Avenue ADDRESS:

Somerville, MA 02452

STAFF

Spanish, Haitian Creole, Vietnamese, and English LANGUAGE:

DESCRIPTION: The Welcome Project is a multi service agency designed to work with low

income immigrant families in Somerville's public housing developments

as well as the neighborhoods surrounding these developments.

SERVICES: Native language women's groups, advocacy, information and referral,

youth programming, community organizing, employment assistance,

citizenship and immigration assistance.

Residents of the Mystic and Clarendon Hill Public Housing POPULATIONS SERVED:

Developments and surrounding neighborhoods in Somerville,

MA.

AGENCY: UPHAM'S CORNER HEALTH CENTER

CONTACT: Christine Y. Brown, LICSW PHONE: (617) 287-8000 x8155

Director of Guidance and FAX: (617) 282-7603

Counseling Dept.

ADDRESS: 415 Columbia Road

Dorchester, MA 02125

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Mental Health Services provided in Spanish, French, and German.

DESCRIPTION: Community health center serving multicultural community of North

Dorchester and Roxbury.

SERVICES: Prenatal/GYN care, primary care, family planning, health education,

nutrition/WIC, HIV services, community health advocate services, social

services, home care services and outpatient mental health.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Latino, African-American, Cape Verdeans, Haitians, Southeast

Asian populations.

AGENCY: VIETNAMESE AMERICAN CIVIC ASSOCIATION

CONTACT: Duy Pham PHONE: (617) 288-7344

Executive Director FAX: (617) 288-4860

ADDRESS: 1452 Dorchester Ave., 3rd Floor

Dorchester, MA 02122

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Vietnamese and English

DESCRIPTION: A mutual assistance association.

SERVICES: Community support, youth services, ESL, employment services, political

detainees, US citizenship, and elderly program.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Vietnamese

AGENCY: VIETNAMESE-AMERICAN INITIATIVE FOR DEVELOPMENT,

INC. (VIET-AID)

CONTACT: Long H. Nguyen PHONE: (617) 822-3717

Executive Director

ADDRESS: 1452 Dorchester Ave., 3rd Floor

Dorchester, MA 02122

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Vietnamese/English

DESCRIPTION: The Vietnamese American Initiative for Development (Viet-AID), a

community development corporation, was founded in 1994 by a group of community activists seeking to develop a strong Vietnamese American

community in Boston through a holistic approach to foster civic

participation and to reduce poverty. To accomplish this mission, Viet-AID engages the community in strategies that promote (1) Neighborhood and community development; (2) economic development; (3) affordable

housing; and (4) youth leadership development.

SERVICES: Civic Education and Organizing, Community Center Project, Business

Development, Women's Initiative, Homebuyer and Homeowner

Counseling.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Vietnamese in Greater Boston.

AGENCY: VIETNAMESE YOUTH AND FAMILY CENTER (VYFC)

CONTACT: Toan Nguyen, MSW PHONE: (617) 825-1861

Program Director FAX: (617) 825-1642

ADDRESS: 1590 Dorchester Avenue

Dorchester, MA 02122

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Vietnamese and English

DESCRIPTION: VYFC provides a wide range of bilingual/bicultural mental health, child

welfare, educational support, and social services to Vietnamese youth and

their families.

SERVICES: Diagnostic evaluation; individual and family therapy; after-school and

summer programs for youth; Vietnamese Girls Club; Intensive Family Intervention (IFI); Intensive Adolescent Intervention (IAI); Mental

Retardation/ Developmental Disabilities (MR/DD) Services.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Vietnamese youth and their families in the Dorchester and

Metro Boston areas.

AGENCY: WHITTIER STREET NEIGHBORHOOD HEALTH CENTER

CONTACT: Victor Griffiths PHONE: (617) 989-3083

Director of Counseling/ FAX: (617) 989-3243

Social and Behavioral Health

ADDRESS: 1125 Tremont Street

Roxbury, MA 02120

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Spanish, and Sign Language

DESCRIPTION: We provide behavioral health services to a predominantly minority

population within a primary care setting.

SERVICES: Individual, couples, and family therapy, group therapy, adult psychiatry,

crisis intervention, case management, home-based and school-based

counseling.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Predominantly African-American, and Latino. We also serve

White, Haitian, Caribbean, Somali, and other African descent

clients.

AGENCY: WOMEN'S CENTER

CONTACT: Mary Quinn PHONE: (617) 354-8807

Director

ADDRESS: 46 Pleasant Street

Cambridge, MA 02139

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Primarily English

DESCRIPTION: The Women's Center has a multiple issue hotline over 40 on-going

support groups, and special workshops. We also have binders of resource

information on housing, jobs, medical care, and childcare etc.

SERVICES: We have a women of color support group and women of color reading

group. All of our support groups, hotline, and resources for all women, but most are currently in English. We have battered women groups, childhood sexual abuse, employment and job search groups, and al-non.

POPULATIONS SERVED: All women, particularly low- income women.

AGENCY: WOMEN, INFANTS AND CHILDREN PROGRAM (WIC)

CONTACT: Position Vacant PHONE: (617) 624-6100

Special Population Project Coordinator

ADDRESS: Department of Public Health

250 Washington St., 6th Floor Boston, MA 02108-4619

STAFF

LANGUAGE: Haitian Creole, Spanish, and Portuguese.

DESCRIPTION: WIC is a nutrition education and nutritious food supplement program.

SERVICES: Provides bilingual/bicultural nutrition assistance and technical assistance

to 36 WIC programs statewide.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Pregnant women, breast feeding women, infants and children

up to the age of five.

AGENCY: YMCA INTERNATIONAL LEARNING CENTER

CONTACT: Ionela Istrate PHONE: (617) 927-8244

Senior Director FAX: (617) 425-0296

ADDRESS: 316 Huntington Ave.

Boston, MA 02115

STAFF

LANGUAGE: English, Spanish, Romanian, Russian, German, Vietnamese, and French.

DESCRIPTION: A non-profit, social service agency serving non-native English speakers

and helping immigrants and ethnic minorities.

SERVICES: Intensive and regular classes in 6 levels of ESOL and TOEFL preparation

and business English. We also offer Citizenship Training, computer

literacy, job skills training and job placement assistance.

POPULATIONS SERVED: Low income, ethnic minority, immigrants, any and all seeking

assistance.

